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In wake of Temple Mount incident

Injuries, arrests as protests sweep areas

By ISRAEL AMRANI and DAVID RICHARDSON
Jerusalem Post Reporters

Twelve people were injured yesterday and about 60 arrested in disturbances throughout East Jerusalem, in the wake of Sunday's Temple Mount shooting incident. All shops remained closed, a demonstration sponsored by the Supreme Moslem Council was forcibly broken up, and funeral services were held for the two people who died in Sunday's shooting.

At least 15 people were hurt in widespread demonstrations in the West Bank and Gaza.

On Sunday night Jerusalem police arrested people on suspicion of incitement and causing disturbances. Three were identified by police photos taken during the demonstration on the Mount that followed the shooting.

Al-Wad street, which runs the length of the Moslem Quarter from the Damascus Gate, was virtually closed to strangers yesterday. A large crowd of youths were active there from early morning, throwing stones at outsiders. Police made two arrests after a man was hit by stones.

About midday a civilian chased by a mob brandishing sticks and knives fired in the air to secure his retreat. Youths ignited tires in the nearby Bab al-Kattanin, which opens to the Temple Mount. A bus was stoned yesterday morning at a-Tur, near the Mount of Olives. A woman passenger was hurt. Later youths nearby overturned an Israeli vehicle near the spot. The driver, a civilian, fired a pistol in the air to disperse the crowd. He was hurt by flying stones.

The main railway line was blocked by a pile of stones near the village of Battir yesterday morning, and the Haifa-Jerusalem train, forced to stop at the barrier, was stoned by waiting youths. Windoes were smashed but no one was hurt.

Wakf director Hassan Tahboub and Professor Sari Nusseibeh, son of former Jordanian minister Anwar Nusseibeh, were arrested when an unlicensed demonstration called by the Supreme Moslem Council was forcibly dispersed by police outside the council offices in Salah-ed-din street.

Heavy police reinforcements were visible last night at the Kishle police station near Jaffa Gate, ready for possible disturbances.

The funerals of the two victims of Sunday's incidents, Haj Salah Yamani and Jihad Ibrahim Bader, were held peacefully at about 8.15 last night. About 150 people gathered at the Lions Gate at the scheduled time of 6 p.m., but police did not release the bodies until after 8. The crowd of mourners waited in silence. About 40 soldiers lined the route of the procession to the Al Aksa mosque. The victims were buried in a small cemetery called Cemetery of the Martyrs, in which those who are considered to have died for the Palestinian cause have been buried since 1936.

On the West Bank and in Gaza, at least 50 people were injured, two of them seriously, when troops opened

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East Jerusalem notables confront police outside the Supreme Moslem Council offices yesterday. From Right: Mufti Sheih el-Jamil, Judge Taysir Kanaan, Sheikh Ali el-Taziz, head of the East Jerusalem chamber of commerce, and former Jordanian cabinet minister Anwar Nusseibeh. (Rahamim Israeli)

U.S. bid to ease tension between Israel, Egypt

Egypt, PLO 'strengthening ties' — Sharon

By BENNY MORRIS
Post Diplomatic Reporter

Defence Minister Ariel Sharon yesterday bluntly accused Egypt of "turning a blind eye" to massive arms smuggling by the PLO from El Arish into the Gaza Strip and, "at its own initiative," of strengthening its ties with "the terrorist organizations."

Earlier yesterday, Prime Minister Menachem Begin complained to a visiting American congressional delegation that Egypt was infringing a number of clauses of the 1979 Israel-Egypt peace treaty.

"In order to complete the second stage of the withdrawal (from Sinai),

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By DAVID LANDAU
Post Diplomatic Correspondent

As the U.S. stepped up its efforts yesterday to ease Israeli-Egyptian tensions on the eve of the Sinai withdrawal, Israeli ministers issued a string of sharply-worded warnings to Egypt over alleged violations of the letter and spirit of the peace treaty.

Deputy Premier David Levy (Likud-Herut) declared at a Young Herut convention in Jerusalem that if the Egyptian violations resulted in Israel delaying the withdrawal — "then so be it." He was the first senior government leader openly to air this possibility. Defence Minister Ariel Sharon and Foreign Minister Yitzhak Shamir, speaking at the same convention, also indicated that Israel would insist on redress of its complaints against Egypt before it makes the final pullback on April 26.

This tough rhetoric drew loud applause from the Young Herut delegates. A large majority of them later signed a petition to Premier Menachem Begin offering their support should the government decide to postpone the withdrawal.

Earlier in the day, in the less heated atmosphere of the Prime Minister's Office and the Foreign Ministry, Begin, Sharon and Shamir met with U.S. Deputy Secretary of State Nicholas Veliotes to discuss Israel's grievances in detail, and to consider what steps Israel wants Egypt to take to remedy the situation.

And in briefings to a visiting delegation from the House of Representatives Armed Sevices Committee, Begin and Shamir were hopeful that the "difficulties will be overcome."

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Shamir blames Labour for disarray in policy

By BENNY MORRIS
Post Diplomatic Reporter

Two senior government ministers yesterday charged the Labour Alignment, in guarded but clear terms, with fomenting disunity over Lebanon and implied that it had been a combination of Labour and foreign opposition that had stayed Israel's hand against the PLO.

"There is no basis, no justification" for the differences in policy towards the PLO in Lebanon between Labour and the government, said Foreign Minister Yitzhak Shamir at the Young Herut conference in Jerusalem's Diplomat Hotel.

Shamir added that Israel sometimes suffers from a "sickness" of too much democracy. On foreign policy and defence matters, he said, in the established democracies there is a "rooted tradition" of bipartisan policy in these fields. He cited the example of British Labour's current support for the Conservative government's dispatch of the battle fleet to the Falkland Islands.

Defence Minister Ariel Sharon

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Reagan reassures U.S. Jewish leaders

By WOLF BLITZER
Jerusalem Post Correspondent

WASHINGTON. — President Ronald Reagan and other senior administration officials yesterday told a small delegation of American Jewish leaders that the U.S. intends to make a major push to achieve a Palestinian autonomy agreement following Israel's final withdrawal from Sinai on April 25.

They said they continue to believe that Israel will retreat from Sinai on schedule, despite last-minute snags.

According to sources present during the closed-door meeting at the White House, the president also promised that the U.S. will stand "side by side" with Israel if any Arab countries used U.S.-supplied weapons against Israel.

The 30-minute meeting was designed to reassure an anxious Jewish community that the Reagan administration remains strongly committed to Israel's security and well-being.

Only six Jews, led by Albert Spiegel of Los Angeles and Max Fisher of Detroit, were invited to the session. Five of the six were active in the Jewish coalition for Reagan-Bush during the 1980 campaign. The sixth, Lawrence Weinberg of Los Angeles, is president of the American Israel Public Affairs Committee (AIPAC), the pro-Israel lobby on Capitol Hill.

Shortly after the meeting, Howard Squadron, chairman of the Conference of Presidents of Major American Jewish Organizations, sharply protested the fact that he

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Iraq offers to pull troops out of Iran 'immediately'

By DAVID BERNSTEIN
Post Mideast Affairs Reporter

Iraqi President Saddam Hussein has given further indication that he is anxious to end the 18-month-old Gulf War following his humiliating defeat in Khuzestan last month, announcing that he is ready to withdraw his troops from Iran "immediately" provided he receive guarantees that this will bring the war to a close.

Hussein's announcement, made in a speech on Sunday, was carried yesterday on the official Iraqi news agency.

"The Iraqi army will withdraw immediately if the Iranians announce an end to hostilities and respect Iraq's rights to its territories and waters," he is quoted as saying.

Iran, however, has been holding out for an unconditional Iraqi withdrawal before it is prepared to renounce hostilities, and last month's victory in Khuzestan is unlikely to make it any more amenable to accepting Saddah Hussein's condition concerning Iraqi territorial and water rights in the strategic Shatt al-Arab waterway.

The war has severely embarrassed Saddam Hussein militarily, and is wreaking havoc with his country's economy. The situation was exacerbated last week when Syria closed its borders to all Iraqi transits — including oil. This has closed the tap on Iraq's main access to its oil markets.

The Syrian move was closely coordinated with Iran, which has undertaken to replace the oil Syria formally received from Iraq in lieu of royalties on Iraqi oil crossing its territory to the Mediterranean.

Early district court trial for Temple Mount gunman

By ABRAHAM RABINOVICH and JEFFREY HELLER
Jerusalem Post Reporters

Alan Harry Goodman, who shot his way into the Temple Mount on Sunday, claimed to have a B.A. in sociology and to speak five languages, including Chinese.

Goodman, who proved incapable of learning the basics of Hebrew in a Jerusalem ulpan, listed his alleged linguistic skills and academic credits in forms he filled out for the Absorption Ministry.

His file, produced for *The Jerusalem Post* yesterday, showed him to have been born in Baltimore on May 21, 1944. He said he had parents in the U.S. and a brother in England. Besides Chinese, he claimed to speak Swedish, French and German.

Sources close to the police investigation expressed doubt yesterday that Goodman, 38, was connected to the Kach Movement of Rabbi Meir Kahane despite Kach literature found in the room of the Jerusalem hotel in which he had been staying. "He seems to be too much of a loner to be part of any group," said one source. Kach headquarters in Jerusalem denied any connection to Goodman, whom it described as "a sick Jew." But in New York, Kahane said that his Jewish Defence League would pay for Goodman's defence. I don't condone and I don't condemn is," he said of Goodman's action.

A leader of the Temple Mount Faithful, a group of nationalist Jews which attempts regularly to pray on the Temple Mount, also stated yesterday: "We never heard his name before and we condemn his action."

The Justice Ministry announced yesterday that Goodman would be tried in the Jerusalem District Court rather than by military court martial despite the fact that he is a soldier. A

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Angry reaction in Arab states over shooting

Post Mideast Affairs Reporter

Arab government spokesmen and news media continued to react angrily yesterday to Sunday's shooting incident on the Temple Mount in Jerusalem, with most holding Israel directly responsible.

This was the line taken by official spokesman and newspapers in Jordan, Saudi Arabia and Syria and by the PLO.

Kuwait last night announced that it would hold a general strike and blackout with the outside world all day tomorrow, in protest over the shooting. The statement said that this was in response to a request by Saudi King Khaled made to all members of the Islamic conference organization.

The Arab line was echoed by the official Soviet newsagency Tass which claimed that "this crime was organized not only by Zionist fanatics but also by units of the Israeli army and police."

There are conflicting reports on Egypt's reaction. The Associated Press, in its report from Cairo, said Foreign Minister Kamal Hassan Ali described the attack as a "reckless act" and said Israel should take measures to ensure the sacredness of the holy places and the safety of the pilgrims.

Reuters, on the other hand, quoted Ali as saying Egypt was confident that Israeli arrangements to maintain order in the area were sufficient.

Ali is also quoted as saying that the "incident showed the sacred places in Jerusalem should have special status."

The Islamic bloc at the UN last night demanded the immediate convening of the Security Council to discuss Sunday's fatal shootings on the Temple Mount, for which it blames Israel. It will ask for a condemnation of Israel.

The Arab League observer at the UN yesterday accused Israel of attempting to "individualize" the attack, but said Israel must bear full responsibility.

THE JERUSALEM POST will not appear tomorrow, the last day of Pessah. The next edition will be on Thursday.

NEWSBEAT/Charles Hoffman

Dollars, politics and dental care

The influx of hundreds of thousands of dollars in Diaspora contributions for Project Renewal dental clinics and the scent of political machinations have stirred up a battle over who will control these clinics now and who will inherit them once the project leaves the scene.

The lines in this struggle are drawn roughly between the Jewish Agency's Project Renewal office, which has established most of the clinics with Diaspora funds and wants to turn over the management of the clinics to the Histadrut's Kupat Holim, and the Health Ministry, which demands a voice in the matter and has enlisted the backing of the government's Project Renewal office.

Caught in the middle — either as allies, pawns or possible victims of the bureaucratic titans — are the local politicians and Project Renewal committees, the volunteer dentists from abroad, the representatives of Diaspora communities twinned with local renewal areas and, of course, the residents whose needs are supposed to be served by clinics.

Project Renewal is a comprehensive programme launched in 1977 for the social and physical rehabilitation of 160 depressed neighbourhoods and towns in Israel.

The vast majority of the approximately 400,000 residents in the areas designated for renewal have never had adequate dental care. Indeed many of them don't even own a toothbrush or have the vaguest notion of how eating habits affect tooth decay.

The dental clinics run by a few local authorities for welfare cases, the limited dental hygiene programmes in the schools, and even the efforts of Kupat Holim to expand its dental care network to outlying areas, have not made a significant contribution to the problem, which is largely educational. Most of the residents of disadvantaged areas would have remained without proper dental treatment and would have remained in the dark about how to care for their teeth if Project Renewal had not arrived on the scene.

Dental clinics have been one of the most popular programmes in Project Renewal, and about 10 are now open in the 69 neighbourhoods where the project is operating. Several dozen more are on the drawing boards, and many more will

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Argentine plan for Falklands

BUENOS AIRES. — Argentina has offered to end its military occupation of the Falkland (Malvinas) Islands if Britain recalls a powerful naval fleet steaming towards the area and recognizes Argentine sovereignty over the contested island chain, foreign ministry sources said yesterday.

The sources said this was the offer carried to London yesterday by U.S. Secretary of State Alexander Haig in his shuttle aimed at avoiding war between Britain and Argentina over the bleak South Atlantic archipelago.

Haig said last night that he had made some progress in talks with British government leaders on resolving the crisis. But he told reporters that a number of difficulties remained and he was returning immediately to Buenos Aires for further talks with Argentine leaders.

In London, Prime Minister Margaret Thatcher announced that the House of Commons will be recalled from Easter recess tomorrow when she will brief Parliament on Haig's peacemaking efforts.

There was no word on British reaction to the Argentine proposal to defuse the crisis.

Thatcher made the decision to

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CHICAGO	-2	28	9	48	Rain
COPENHAGEN	2	36	8	46	Cloudy
FRANKFURT	0	32	6	43	Cloudy
GENEVA	-1	30	14	57	Clear
HELSINKI	-2	28	2	36	Cloudy
HONG KONG	18	64	25	77	Clear
JOHANNESBURG	11	52	21	70	Clear
LISBON	14	57	18	64	Rain
LONDON	5	41	10	50	Cloudy
MADRID	8	48	24	75	Clear
MONTREAL	-4	25	-4	39	Snow
NEW YORK	5	41	14	57	Cloudy
OSLO	-1	30	8	46	Sunny
PARIS	4	39	12	54	Clear
RIO DE JANEIRO	15	60	30	87	Clear
SAO PAULO	12	54	22	72	Cloudy
STOCKHOLM	0	32	5	41	Cloudy
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Golan	44	7—22	22
Naharlya	60	15—21	21
Safad	61	10—21	20
Haifa Port	69	16—20	20
Tiberias	—	13—25	26
Nazareth	58	12—23	23
Afula	53	14—24	24
Shomron	52	10—22	22
Tel Aviv	64	14—22	21
B-G Airport	65	13—22	22
Jericho	36	17—28	28
Gaza	69	16—20	20
Beersheba	42	12—24	24
Eilat	25	19—32	31

SOCIAL & PERSONAL

Dr. Jack Habib has been appointed acting director of the Brookdale Institute of Gerontology and Adult Human Development in Israel to replace Prof. Michael Davies who has accepted a nine-month assignment with the World Health Organization in Copenhagen. Dr. Martin Cherkasky, President Emeritus of Montefiore Hospital in New York, has arrived to head the Israel Search Committee to find a new director.

BIRTHS

Baruch and Lynne Heinoch (Balinsky) are happy to announce the birth of their son on Sunday, April 11, 1982 at the Assuta Hospital, Tel Aviv. Brother to Ayala, Grandson of Charles and Clara Balinsky, Canada, and Masha Heinoch, Haifa.

'Inventor' of Meridor's device may be bumped

By YITZHAK OKED
Jerusalem Post Reporter

TEL AVIV. — Gas-On, the company developing Economic Minister Ya'acov Meridor's "revolutionary" energy device, is considering terminating its business contact with Daniel Berman, who claims to have invented it, it is learned.

The JerusalemPost could not receive an official confirmation of this. One official of the company, when pressed, said, "You can guess what is going on." Indications of the move followed reports that another inventor, Kenneth Shatz, had fathered the device.

Shatz, an American, was expected to meet with Uri Mor, the head of the Gas-On project, this week, it was learned.

Arlosoroff panel members named

Former Supreme Court Justice David Bechor will head the state commission of inquiry to investigate the 1933 murder of Haim Arlosoroff, which was ordered by the cabinet last month at Prime Minister Menachem Begin's request. The appointment was reported by Israel Television last night.

Bechor, who was born in Jerusalem, served on the Haifa District Court, and was named to the Supreme Court in 1978. He served for two years until he reached the mandatory retirement age of 70. A member of the Hagana in the pre-State period, Bechor is considered to be apolitical.

Also named to serve on the Arlosoroff commission last night was Yad Vashem historian Yoav Gelbar, Israel TV reported.

But the investigation cannot be started until the High Court of Justice rules on a petition by Jerusalem jurist Daniel Alon to order the government to withdraw its decision to set up the commission. Alon's petition, submitted last month, will be considered by a special five-justice bench on April 20.

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IDF seals Yamit as deadline approaches

By MOTTI BEN-YANAI
Jerusalem Post Reporter

YAMIT. — The IDF has completely encircled Yamit in an effort to prevent the arrival of further reinforcements to anti-withdrawal protesters already in place.

During Sunday night about 200 vehicles arrived in the town carrying an unknown number of passengers, along with about 150 persons who infiltrated on foot, pursued by troops.

The IDF then sealed off the town about at 10 a.m. yesterday, allowing no movement in or out for several hours — a move that briefly trapped a number of journalists and contractors working to dismantle the town.

The "Pessah hiatus" granted by Defence Minister Ariel Sharon on the evacuation of anti-withdrawal protesters from Yamit is to end tomorrow night with the conclusion of the holiday.

Jewish National Fund workmen yesterday were prevented by a group of about 40 children from uprooting palm trees for replanting in Israel. The JNF had taken out some 15 trees from about 50 to be moved, when the children began climbing the trees to stop the work. They similarly disrupted the continued removal of electric pylons.

Yesterday a march was held by anti-pullout protesters in the Kerem Shalom area. The march followed a circular 10-kilometre route, ending with a rally at the building materials "graveyard" near Kerem Shalom where sections of dismantled Yamit area structures are brought and stored in the open by contractors.

One contractor said that most of the structures being dismantled would not be used again, because it would be cheaper and faster to build with newly cast concrete sections, than to repair or modify the used material.

Herut MK Yosef Rom told the marchers he would introduce a motion in the Knesset to "suspend" the withdrawal.

A minor confrontation occurred at a roadblock near Yamit when a children's choir, whose members were told they would be allowed back in the town after singing at the rally, were not allowed back by soldiers. They sat down and blocked the road for about two hours, until an order came to let them through.

Inside Yamit yesterday the town's field school was dismantled and prepared for shipment to the Nazareth region, where it is to serve the Galilee.

SHARON ACCUSES EGYPT

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we have been forced to make it clear to the U.S. and Egypt that they must take steps to fulfil the conditions of the (peace) agreement," said Sharon, speaking to an enthusiastic crowd of delegates at Young Herut's convention in Jerusalem's Diplomat Hotel.

Sharon was followed by Foreign Minister Yitzhak Shamir, who similarly stressed that Israel "will not tolerate any infringement" of the Camp David accords by Egypt.

Supporting his accusation about arms smuggling, Sharon said that "the security forces have discovered 500 grenades smuggled into the Strip since January 1. Another 1,000 grenades were smuggled in and discovered by us during 1981," said Sharon, who insisted that "more grenades may have been smuggled in during this period which have not yet been found." Sharon said that the latest arms smuggling shipment was intercepted by Israeli forces "two days ago."

Shamir, who ascended to the rostrum to wild clapping, compared the murderous attack carried out by Alan Harry Goodman on the Temple Mount on Sunday to the Egyptian delegate's recent proposal in Kuwait — in an Egyptian "peace plan" — that "(East) Jerusalem be under Arab sovereignty."

"We must protect Jerusalem" against both types of assault and hatred, said Shamir.

Shamir went on to attack "those who seek a false peace, those who fail to beat Israel in war and wish to defeat it in peace. We will not be deceived by those who wish to cheat us with a spurious peace."

Sharon said that Israel sacrificed "strategic depth, three air bases and four airfields, a naval base, control of the Bab el-Mandeb straits, and oil" to achieve the peace treaty with Egypt. "We also reduced our warning time against aerial attack from 16 minutes to two minutes — which is tantamount to no time at all. That is why the 150-kilometre deep demilitarized zone assured us by the treaty is so important and why we cannot tolerate any infringement of the demilitarization," he said.

According to Israel Radio, following the three ministerial speeches several delegates began passing around a petition calling for the government to temporarily halt the withdrawal from Sinai, scheduled for completion on April 25.

Although not asked about Sharon's specific charges, Egyptian Foreign Minister Kamal Hassan Ali was asked by newsmen in Cairo yesterday to respond to a BBC radio report, citing "well-informed Israeli sources," that Israel had complained to Egypt about alleged Egyptian "connivance" with Beduin smuggling weapons to Palestinians in the Gaza Strip.

Ali is quoted as saying there had been no official protest from Israel, and that Egypt had taken measures to insure against smuggling of arms into and out of Egypt.

Prime Minister Begin is scheduled to meet this morning with the initiators of a petition at the convention promising him their full support if he would delay the evacuation. The initiators claimed that 700 of the convention's 1,200 delegates (official and unofficial) had signed the petition.

Begin cancelled his scheduled appearance at the convention's evening session. The convention's press officer, Yossi Brun, shrugged his shoulders when asked the reason.

Basketball

In the National League basketball play-off for the first three places, Hapoel Ramat Gan yesterday defeated Hapoel Tel Aviv 90-70.

SHAMIR BLAMES

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charged that "a completely new situation has arisen, with no precedent that I can remember, in which the moment the terrorists hurt a Jew, a protective wall is thrown up (around the PLO) inside and outside Israel.

"An Israeli diplomat is murdered in Paris, a sergeant is killed in a grenade attack in Gaza, a bomb explodes beside a kindergarten in Holon — and no one is surprised. Suddenly everybody — from around the world and inside Israel — turns to us and appeals that we shouldn't act," he said.

This phenomenon is tantamount to "an absence of the will to live" or "an unrestrained, unreasoning desire to hurt the government," charged Sharon.

"A nation that wishes to live cannot act this way," said Sharon, apparently referring to the government's decision — revealed on Sunday by U.S. Ambassador Samuel Lewis — not to launch an attack on the PLO in Lebanon for the time being. "A nation (that wishes to live) must defend its sons," Sharon said.

"They say," said the defence minister, apparently referring to opponents of an attack both inside and outside the cabinet, "that nothing that has happened (so far) justifies action, that there must be what the Americans call 'clear provocation'."

"But what is clear provocation? One amputee? One dead? Five dead? Ten dead? (The Israeli government must act in such a way) that there must be no doubt in any Israeli's mind that the state will defend its citizens. And the government *will* decide, and not on the basis of (the views) of those hasbeens," said Sharon.

No Israeli government has ever made greater efforts to avoid war, said Sharon.

Shamir, to wild cheering by the young delegates, said that "some strategists" say "that underground organizations such as the PLO cannot be eradicated (by military means)."

"This is not true," said Shamir, referring to "many underground groups whose cause was not just "which have vanished without trace in history.

"There is no way... other than blows (*makot*) of dealing with (the PLO)... until they vanish from the stage of the Middle East," said Shamir.

Shamir assured his audience that "we — and I mean me and my generation, not you (youngsters) — will see (in our lifetime) the PLO disappear.

"But much will depend on morale," said Shamir. "A nation unwilling to fight will lose both its security and honour" in a further apparent reference to opponents of an attack on Lebanon.

Shamir, pointing to the importance of morale, cited favourably the Iranian revolutionary model. "Iraq attacked an apparently prostrate, disorganized Iran. But Iran is winning, which shows you the value of morale."

Sharon earlier said that Israel's restraint "in face of PLO actions and events in Lebanon" was unprecedented. "I can't remember Israel ever in the past sitting back quietly (in the face of such provocations)."

He said that the situation is rapidly changing in Lebanon, with the PLO forces now manning some "500-600" artillery pieces and "digging in in unprecedented fashion."

In his speech, Sharon argued that it was the spate of Arab terrorist attacks in the early 1950s that "precipitated the 20-year cycle of Arab-Israeli wars. Terrorism is not a threat merely because of those it injures and kills. It (is even more dangerous because it) leads to wars between states."

U.S. BID TO EASE TENSION

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The talks with Veliotes were preparatory to a higher-powered mediation mission to be undertaken later this week by the Under-Secretary of State, Walter Stoessel. Veliotes is to brief Stoessel in London, and the under-secretary — who is Secretary Alexander Haig's top aide and one of America's foremost professional diplomats — will fly into Israel tomorrow night.

Stoessel will have with him a sizeable team of Middle East experts (his own field of expertise has been East-West relations: he served as U.S. ambassador to Moscow and to Bonn). After meetings with Premier Begin and other Israeli policymakers, he will fly on to Cairo and see President Hosni Mubarak on Saturday, probably returning here on Sunday.

Israel is demanding tangible and visible rectification, before April 25, of several long-standing Egyptian infringements of the limitation of forces provisions in the Sinai. Some of the Israeli complaints on this score date back months or even years. But Israeli policymakers feel strongly that the situation must be cleared up to Israel's full satisfaction before the Multinational Force and Observers (MFO) takes over the monitoring of the military arrangements in Sinai on the day of the scheduled withdrawal. Otherwise, the Israeli policymakers fear, the infringements will become virtually unamendable.

Israel has also been upset by evidence of stepped-up cooperation in recent weeks between Egypt and the PLO. While there has always been a PLO office functioning in Cairo, there is information here that ties between the organization and the Egyptian authorities have rached the stage of "practical cooperation" recently.

Highly-placed Israeli sources insisted last night — contrary to Deputy Premier Kamal Hassan Ali's assertion in Cairo yesterday — that Israeli complaints about arms-smuggling from Sinai into the Gaza Strip have been relayed to the Egyptians. The sources say the conlaints were virtually ignored and the Egyptian border laxity in this respect continued.

Israeli sources acknowledge that each of these complaints individually would not have resulted in the deterioration in relations between the two countries. But there has been an agglomeration, the sources say, and, given the naturally heightened tension of the immediate pre-withdrawal period, the result has been "a crisis of confidence."

A programmatic speech on the Palestinian problem by Egyptian envoy Ismet Abdel-Meguid at the non-aligned conference in Kuwait last week contributed to this atmosphere, say the Israeli sources. While Abdel-Meguid did make one passing reference to the "transitional period" (thereby obliquely referring to the Camp David scheme), the overall tenor of his address was extremely hostile to Israel.

Begin told the U.S. congressional delegation yesterday that the speech offended against the treaty provision banning hostile propaganda by either side against the other.

Abdel-Meguid's remark about Israel being "at its ebb" (in connection with the Sinai withdrawal) has particularly incensed policymakers in Jerusalem.

While the speech, of course — like Mubarak's refusal earlier in the year to visit Jerusalem — cannot now be rescinded, Israel is seeking words and deeds by Egypt in the days ahead that would serve to improve the atmosphere and restore confidence. It wants positive action on the various normalization agreements, some of which are still empty shells. And it wants renewed firm protestations of adherence to the Camp David framework.

There are indications, too, that Israel seeks additional assurances from the U.S., perhaps in the form of a memorandum of understanding, underscoring Washington's commitment to Camp David beyond the completion of the Sinai withdrawal.

The unresolved disputes over border demarcation — especially the one over the Taba beach, near Eilat — have further soured the atmosphere. Sharon is due to fly to Cairo on Thursday for more talks on Taba, with Israel still insisting on an interim arrangement that would enable Israel to retain civilian control of the area (with its large new hotel) while a lengthy process of negotiation-conciliation-arbitration goes forward, as prescribed in the peace treaty.

REAGAN REASSURES

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was not asked to join the delegation.

In a telephone interview with *The Jerusalem Post*, Squadron said it was "outrageous" and "unacceptable" that these "self-appointed Jews" should go to the White House without the involvement of the Presidents' Conference, an umbrella group which represents more than 30 national Jewish organizations.

The other three Jews at the meeting were Richard Fox of Philadelphia, Gordon Zacks of Columbus, Ohio, and George Klein of New York City. Tom Dine, executive director of AIPAC and Richard Kreeger, the Republican Natioanal Committee's liaison to the Jewish community, joined the six during an earlier meeting with Geoffrey Kemp, the Middle East specialist on the National Security Council. Dine and Kreeger, however, were not present during the meeting with Reagan.

Underscoring the effort to reassure the Jewish community, the president was joined by Vice-President George Bush, National Security Adviser William Clark, White House public liaison Elizabeth Dole and his three major domestic advisers, Ed Meese, James Baker and Michael Deaver.

Upon leaving the White House, the Jewish leaders refused to make any public statements to the press, saying only that the session was off-the-record.

Privately, however, one participant said that the president "said everything we wanted to hear, but I'm still worried."

The meeting came just before the State Department formally announced that Reagan was dispatching Deputy Secretary of State Walter Stoessel to Israel and Egypt this week to try to resolve the final differences emerging between the two countries in advance of the Sinai pullback. Stoessel, after a stopover in London, is expected to meet with Prime Minister Begin tomorrow night after Pessah. He was leaving Washington last night.

The U.S. is working energetically to try to ensure a smooth withdrawal and, at the same time, prevent any collapse of the cease-fire along the Israeli-Lebanese border.

At the White House, the Jewish leaders were told by the NSC's Kemp that the administration, after the Israeli withdrawal from Sinai, was still determined to achieve the second part of the Camp David agreement — namely, an autonomy arrangement on the West Bank and Gaza.

The White House meeting was arranged largely by Albert Spiegel, who served as chairman of the Jewish coalition for Reagan-Bush. On an informal basis, he is expected to emerge as the key Jewish liaison to the White House now that Jacob Stein has left the administration.

TEMPLE MOUNT GUNMAN

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ministry statement noted that the Temple Mount shootings were unconnected with Goodman's military status. Jerusalem District Prosecutor Michael Kirsh met yesterday with the police investigators working on the case. The ministry said the case would swiftly be brought to trial after the investigation is completed.

Dr. Meir Pail of Sheli called yesterday on Defence Minister Ariel Sharon to investigate how a person said to be insane could be conscripted and given a 97 medical profile. He also asked Sharon to determine whether other "unstable" persons were issued weapons, particularly members of Kach and some of the settlements established in the territories.

Despite a police clampdown on progress of the investigation, some details about Goodman continued to emerge yesterday. He first visited Israel as a tourist four months after the Six Day War. He returned again as a tourist two months after the Yom Kippur War. In August, 1977, he returned again, this time with intentions of staying. He became a temporary resident in January 1978 and entered Ulpan Etzion.

The director of the ulpan, Genia Gilat, said that Goodman had frightened the girl students in the ulpan with his cold stare and his habit of talking to himself. She described him as a cowardly personality who folded up when confronted with authority. His teacher, Victoria Litvak, said yesterday that Goodman was almost totally non-communicative and that the obscene words he often used in the presence of females indicated a sexual obsession.

After being forced to leave the ulpan for beating up an Arab kitchen employee, he stayed for several months in a small hotel, in Jerusalem's Beit Hakerem neighbourhood. In October, 1978 he left the country and returned two years later. He reportedly stayed at several kibbutzim and attempted to study at a yeshiva. In his hotel room, correspondence was found with *ba'alei t'shuva* yeshivot which receive persons with little religious training.

A member of kibbutz Sarid, near Migdal Haemek, recalled yesterday that Goodman had attended the ulpan there for about a month at the end of 1980, but had left suddenly without saying goodbye to anyone. He said that Goodman had displayed no signs of violence or instability during his stay at the kibbutz.

According to Goodman's file at the kibbutz, he held U.S. passport number A1425561, and listed a Fanny Goodman, presumably his mother, as next of kin. He entered Israel on October 12, 1980.

A source said police had not visited the kibbutz for information about the subject.

Goodman was apparently drafted just two weeks ago and had begun basic training at an army base on the West Bank. Being beyond normal draft age, he had been called up for only a few months, after which he would become a reservist. He presumably had been given leave for the Pessah holiday.

The Supreme Moslem Council in East Jerusalem yesterday issued a statement challenging the allegation that Goodman was insane. The fact that he had been drafted into the army, said the council, argued against his being mentally unstable.

Mystery surrounds death of second Temple Mount victim

By ISRAEL AMRANI
Jerusalem Post Reporter

One of the two men who died in Sunday's violence on the Temple Mount and its environs may have been killed by someone other than the gunman who ran amok, Alan Harry Goodman.

First reports from police sources assumed that both fatalities were victims of the indiscriminate sprays of bullets fired by Goodman from his M-16 assault rifle.

But Jihad Ibrahim Bader, 21, may have been shot after Goodman was arrested. According to family members, he fell wounded in Souk al-Kattanin, opposite the main entrance to the Dome of the Rock, at about 10:30 a.m. His brother Amer, who was with him immediately after he was shot, said Jihad Bader was not involved with the angry crowd on the Temple Mount reacting to the earlier shooting. (Alan Goodman was apprehended by police at about 9:30.)

According to Jihad Bader's family, the victim was a devout Moslem who prayed frequently in Al Aksa mosque, and was on his way there when he was shot.

At the time Bader was apparently shot, most of the violent action was concentrated on the Mount itself, where about 500 angry Moslems were challenging Border Police and police for control of the area. The Moslems were brandishing iron bars, sticks and knives. The crowd was eventually dispersed by police who fired into the air and used tear gas in response to hails of large rocks from the demonstrators.

Jihad Bader was admitted to the al-Mukassed hospital in the Old City at about 10.45 a.m., according to family sources, about 15 minutes after he was shot. He was pronounced dead on arrival from a single bullet wound in the side of his chest. Police were only informed of his death some time after 12 noon, and when they requested the body for autopsy the hospital and relatives at first refused to hand it over. It was eventually taken to the Abu Kabir forensic institute at 4:30 on Sunday afternoon, where an autopsy into the precise cause of death was last night not yet complete.

Bader was an electrician who supported four brothers and sisters. They lived in a small one-roomed apartment in the Moslem quarter of the Old City.

Family members told *The Jerusalem Post* last night they had erected a pile of stones on the pavement of South Kattanin, where they claim Bader was shot.

Galilee residents petition against war

Jerusalem Post Reporter

KIRYAT SHMONA. — Residents of Upper Galilee, including those living in settlements near the Lebanese border, yesterday began circulating a petition calling on the government not to invade Lebanon.

"We support all citizens of Israel who oppose a war with Lebanon. We protest the atmosphere which encourages war in our area," the petition says.

Moshe Tal of Kibbutz Mahanayim, one of the organizers of the petition drive, said yesterday that "military operations against the terrorists in Lebanon have not proven to be effective in the past. We must find a more severe response to the terrorists."

Meanwhile, Reuven Robert, the head of the appointed council in Kiryat Shmona, said yesterday that 49 shelters have been built in the city since last summer, many of them in schools. Construction of additional shelters will be completed soon, he said.

Many of the new shelters have metal-covered inner walls to prevent flying splinters and new equipment has been added to make residents more comfortable, he said.

But Robert said that there is still not enough space available if residents are forced into shelters for a long period of time.

INJURIES, ARRESTS

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fire to break up a widespread demonstration which marked the first day of the general strike.

Dehaishe refugee camp near Bethlehem was put under curfew and the Balata camp outside Nablus was put under a partial blockade following violent clashes with soldiers there. [illegible] was also widely observed throughout the Gaza Strip.

The call for a general strike was widely observed throughout the West Bank. It affected services, commerce and transport as well as some of the labour force, with workers staying away from jobs inside Israel.

The West Bank civil administration has already issued an order delaying the re-opening of schools after the spring vacation until next Sunday, to neutralize one of the most common areas of unrest — the high schools in the areas.

In the Nuzeirat refugee camp near Khan Yunis in the Gaza Strip youths carrying the Koran clashed with soldiers. When they refused to disperse and stoned the troops, shots were fired and four people were injured. One, Ali Hasan el Hilu, was reportedly hit in the head.

Three people were slightly hurt in Khan Yunis itself and two in Rafah in separate disturbances there. The commercial and municipal strike

In Nablus one youth was hit in the hand when a crowd stoned soldiers and two others were also moderately wounded in other parts of the town.

One of the worst clashes took place at the Dehaishe refugee camp when a crowd stoned traffic on the main road between Jerusalem and Hebron. Troops fired when they were stoned and, according to local sources, hit seven people, one of whom was identified as a five-year-old girl, Sanap Mahmoud Abu Nahle, who was reportedly hit in the head.

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The Family

Begin to airline workers:
Trains don't run on Sabbath—why El Al?

By JOSHUA BRILLIANT
Jerusalem Post Reporter

El Al staff committee representatives yesterday told Prime Minister Menachem Begin why they think the airline should continue flying on the Sabbath and Jewish holidays, but left his office with a feeling he was not convinced.

The cabinet is expected to decide whether the airline should be forced to observe the sabbath after a special committee next week presents its report on the financial implications of eliminating Sabbath flights.

During the brief meeting the workers and the Histadrut representatives argued that grounding the airline on Sabbaths — in accordance with the coalition agreement with the ultra-orthodox Agudat Yisrael — may lead to El Al's closure because other airlines would pick up the trade El Al would lose. The El Al men added that preventing them from working on Saturdays while others (referring apparently to Airports Authority personnel) would continue working was unfair.

The participants reported later that Begin had replied that Israel is a Jewish state, and that the trains don't run either on Saturdays. But he agreed to meet the workers again next Monday, Eli Ben-Menahem of El Al reported.

Yesterday's meeting was held after the Tel Aviv labour district court on Sunday issued a temporary injunction barring the airline's management from unilaterally stopping Sabbath flights. The court accepted the workers' and Histadrut's claims that a unilateral cessation of flights would be in violation of the labour contract which says work procedures must be "coordinated."



El Al staff representatives leave the Prime Minister's office in Jerusalem yesterday after meeting with Mr. Begin. (Rahamim Israeli)

British ship cuts Haifa visit short

By YA'ACOV FRIEDLER
Jerusalem Post Reporter

HAIFA.— The British Navy's oiler-supply ship HMS Olna has been ordered by the British admiralty to cut short its visit because of the Falkland Islands crisis. The Olna will sail this morning, rather than on Thursday, as scheduled. The Olna arrived last Friday.

The ship's commander, Captain Alan Stanley, yesterday paid a courtesy call on Mayor Arye Gurel, accompanied by the British air and naval attache Group Captain Peter Carter.

Before its departure, the ship purchased supplies of fresh fruit and vegetables in Haifa.

Captain Stanley said that the Falkland action would be "a new experience" for the navy due to the distances involved "and we'll learn a lot from it." As captain of a supply ship, he envisaged the back-up problem becoming especially difficult "if we stay out there a long time."

On Sunday, a soccer team chosen from among Stanley's men played the Haifa Maccabi youth team and went down 23-1.

Soldier falls to his death from desert cliff

A soldier was killed Sunday night when he slipped and fell from a cliff over Nahal Darga (Wadi Daraj) in the Judean Desert, while on a hike with other soldiers.

His comrades summoned help as soon as he fell, but a rescue squad which arrived shortly after could only retrieve his body from the wadi floor. The soldier's name has not been released. The IDF has begun an investigation. (Itim)

Haifa may name centre after Heine

Jerusalem Post Reporter

HAIFA. — The cornerstone for a community centre, financed by a DM1 million donation from the West German City of Dusseldorf, was laid yesterday in Kiryat Haim.

Mayor Arye Gurel told *The Jerusalem Post* that the name "Heinrich Heine Centre" is being considered for the building, which is to be completed next year.

Thousands extend holiday

By HAIM SHAPIRO
Jerusalem Post Reporter

With school scheduled to resume this Sunday, thousands of Israelis are taking advantage of the end of Pessah, which begins tonight, to take a long holiday weekend.

The crowds which have packed the hotels and beaches of Eilat and the 40 kilometres of Sinai coastline which the government has opened for holidaymakers, are also expected to remain until after the weekend.

For Israelis of Moroccan origin, the end of the Pessah holiday is the occasion for the celebration of the *Mimouna*. This year the organizers of the festivities are putting greater emphasis on the traditional home visits which marked the holiday in Morocco. Members of the public and dignitaries have been invited to visit Moroccan homes tomorrow evening.

President Yitzhak Navon and his family are due to visit a home in Mevasseret Yerushalayim, outside Jerusalem and Prime Minister Menachem Begin and his wife and grandchildren have been invited to visit a family in the Katamon quarter of the capital.

Sam Benchetrit, organizer of the festivities, said that the home visits have been emphasized to bring Israelis together, rather than stress their differences.

The mass celebration in Sacher Park, which has become a tradition in itself over the past few years, will take place on Thursday.

As in past years, the Sacher Park festivities will be marked by speeches by political figures including Begin, Alignment leader Shimon Peres, Deputy Prime Minister David Levy and Yeroham Meshel, secretary-general of the Histadrut.

Soldier to be prosecuted in killing of Arab woman

By JOSHUA BRILLIANT
Jerusalem Post Reporter

TEL AVIV. — The soldier who killed a 40-year-old Arab woman near the Beit El army base last Thursday allegedly violated standing orders on opening fire and will be tried, military sources said yesterday. It is not yet known what the charges will be.

Last week the IDF spokesman said the woman, Aziza Hassan Hamad of Ein Yabrud, was shot when she approached an arms depot and did not halt when ordered to stop. However, Arab sources said she had been tilling a field of oats with four of her children when she was killed by a single shot. Neighbours working in nearby fields ran to see what had happened, but were deterred by the soldier who kept shooting into the air, the sources said.

The soldier was subsequently detained and is still being held, the military sources said.

Central Command military police have completed their investigation. The IDF advocate general will prepare the charge sheet and decide whether to try the soldier before a full military court or a summary court, which may impose a lighter sentence.

Egged wins court case and bus route to Cairo

The Egged bus cooperative yesterday won a legal battle for the concession to operate the Tel Aviv-Cairo route, when the High Court of Justice rejected an appeal by the Tiyulei Hagalil company over the results of a public tender.

The court ordered Tiyulei Hagalil to pay Egged and the Transport Ministry IS20,000 in costs and said that it would hand down its reasoning later.

According to the ministry spokesman, Egged will begin operating the route, in conjunction with the Egyptian company, Delta, in ten days' time, or shortly afterwards.

In contesting the tender which awarded the operating rights to Egged, Tiyulei Hagalil claimed that the cheap rate offerred by Egged ($25 return) had been made possible by the government's generous subsidies to the cooperative. This, the company's lawyers claimed, would give Egged "an additional monopoly" and continue the trend to force the private companies off the market. Tiyulei Hagalil added that it was able to provide well-equipped and modern buses and excellent tourist services.

Citing Egged's "historic rights" to the route, defence counsel Ram Caspi said: "Egged was on the bridges of the Suez Canal — and when 4,000 buses are needed, everyone knows o whom to turn." (Itim).

U.S.-made missiles used by Israel Navy

HAIFA. — The Israeli Navy has equipped its missile boats with American-made Harpoon missiles, in addition to the locally-made Gabriel missiles, Aluf-Mishne "Yisrael" of the navy revealed in an article in this month's edition of the Zim company's magazine.

Ya'acobi pushes own plan for unilateral W. Bank autonomy

By SARAH HONIG
Post Political Reporter

TEL AVIV. — Labour MK Gad Ya'acobi has come up with a new formula on autonomy, which he suggests that Israel implement unilaterally since in his view the autonomy talks with Egypt are likely to remain bogged down.

Ya'acobi detailed his plan in a letter addressed to Labour Chairman Shimon Peres. In the letter he requests that the plan be brought before either the political committee or the bureau of the party soon.

Ya'acobi proposes that his plan be implemented as an interim measure for a number of years. In effect, he suggests that autonomy be unilaterally implemented by Israel in regard to the Arab residents of Judea, Samaria and Gaza. But this will not include the Jordan valley, the Jerusalem area, the Etzion bloc and all the Jewish settlements in the areas, wherever they may be.

Ya'acobi told *The Jerusalem Post* that the similarity with the late Moshe Dayan's unilateral autonomy idea "is superficial only and is limited to the unilateral implementation. I discussed my idea with Dayan before he passed away and Dayan did not accept it."

Ya'acobi further told *The Post* that with "the autonomy negotiations at a deadlock, it is reasonable to suppose that after the Sinai pullback is completed, the Saudi Fahd plan or the Egyptian 11-point plan or some variation on these may become the common denominator for the less extreme Arab States. If Israel does not very soon launch a new initiative of its own, it might find itself trapped in deliberations over these plans, which are a danger to this country."

Ya'acobi further argues that his plan would meet Israel's security needs and assure the unity of Jerusalem, given the "situation in which there is no chance of reaching accord with an authorized and representative Arab party on the future of Judea, Samaria and Gaza."

Police say 'informant' was covering up herself

By JEFFREY HELLER
Jerusalem Post Reporter

TEL AVIV. — A woman who claimed she had information in the Nava Elimelech murder case, was, in fact, lying to cover up her theft of credit cards and cheques from dozens of men she seduced, police said yesterday.

Anat (Jeanette) Maimon, 32, of Moshav Zohar, was arrested two weeks ago on suspicion of 15 incidents of fraud in the Tel Aviv area. At the time of her arrest, Maimon told investigators she had seen the 11-year-old Bat Yam girl in the company of a man in the seaside town.

Police said yesterday they checked her information and found it to be false. Investigators believe she made up the story to deflect suspicion regarding the fraud charges.

Maimon allegedly established "romantic connections" with dozens of men, telling them she was a law student and the daughter of an IDF attache abroad. Once she had gained their trust she would make off with their credit cards, bank cards and cheques, which she used to defraud shops throughout the country, police said.

Police estimate she forged cheques amounting to tens of thousands of shekels and took large amounts of cash from automatic bank tellers. Fraud squad investigators are trying to uncover the identities of Maimon's alleged love-struck victims.

'Public no longer hostile to integration'

Jerusalem Post Reporter

During the last 12 years there has been a major positive shift in public attitudes towards ethnic integration in the schools, and hostile reactions to it have practically disappeared, the director-general of the Education Ministry said yesterday.

Eliezer Shmueli said in a study-day on integration sponsored by the ministry that it continues to regard integration as a primary national goal.

Prof. Haim Adler, a Hebrew University sociologist, said that an indication of the social success of integration is the constant rise in the intermarriage rate among Jews of different cultural backgrounds. He also said that, because the educational achievements of many children of Middle Eastern background had improved over the years, it was no longer necessary to put all of them in the disadvantaged category.

Fewer welfare recipients this year

Jerusalem Post Reporter

The number of welfare recipients has steadily declined over the last three months following the implementation of the Income Maintenance Law, according to figures released by the National Insurance Institute.

This trend stands in contrast to the concern expressed by the Finance Ministry prior to the introduction of the law, that it would swell the welfare rolls and act as a disincentive to work.

The Income Maintenance Law transferred the responsibility for making welfare payments from local welfare offices to the NII, leaving social workers in the welfare offices free to deal with the personal and social needs of their clients instead of acting as paymasters.

The NII figures show 12,900 welfare recipients in January, when the law was introduced, dropping to 12,700 in February and 12,600 in March. The NII spokesman attributed the drop to more efficient screening of welfare applicants by the NII staff.

Yamit owners claiming their abandoned pets

TEL AVIV. — Some of the animals rescued from Yamit after their masters abandoned them there have been claimed by their owners, and the fate of the rest will be the same as of other animals brought to the SPCA in Jaffa, the society's chairman, Hilda Friedstein, said yesterday. She was responding to rumours that the animals from Yamit are about to be killed.

Asked how long the animals will be held if their masters don't claim them and if nobody buys them, she replied that this is up to the society's veterinary surgeon. "You can't put more water in a bottle than the bottle will hold. A few years ago, we were criticized because the shelter was overcrowded and animals were getting sick. So we hired a vet to see that doesn't happen. Now we're getting criticism on the grounds that we kill animals."

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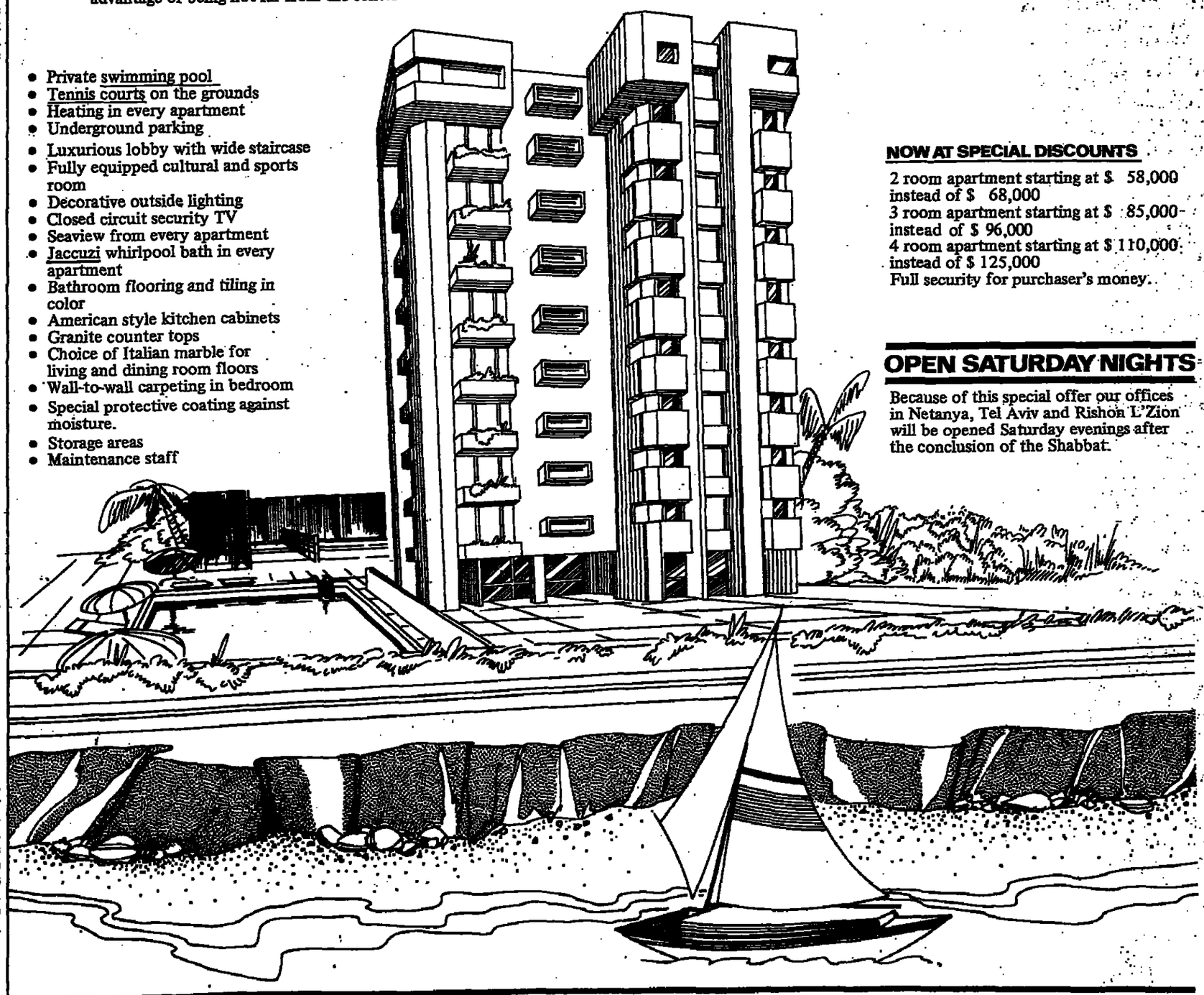
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N. Korea said to have concentration camps

SEOUL (AP). — An estimated 105,000 political prisoners are being held in at least eight concentration camps in North Korea, South Korean government authorities charged yesterday.

The officials claimed it had been confirmed that North Korea began to establish such camps shortly after the conclusion of the armistice ending the fighting in the Korean War in 1953. The camps were said to have been located in isolated mountain areas to intern "dangerous elements," and were reported to have been enlarged in the early 1970s.

The Ministry of Culture and Information said detailed information about concentrati on camps in North Korea was disclosed for the first time by a man who defected to South Korea last January 7. Identified as Kim Yong-Jun, he was described as having worked as an intelligence agent for North Korea's Ministry of National Political Security.

Kim's information was reportedly corroborated and supplemented by two other defectors: Shin Yong-Man, who was said to have turned himself in to police in Japan in March 1977, and Kang Hysong-Sun, who reportedly defected to South Korea in July 1979.

Kim and Kang were presented at a briefing for reporters yesterday. Shin was absent because he reportedly was hospitalized with an intestinal ailment.

"Prisoners in the camps, surrounded by several parallel barbed-wire fences, mine fields, electric fences and other types of pitfalls, are subjected to constant, close surveillance," the background material said. "Living in caves, mud huts and shanties, they barely subsist on potatoes and roots. There are no medical or recreational facilities at all. Even under such miserable living conditions, they are forced to do hard labour. Only death relieves them of extreme suffering, as they are committed to the camps for life."

Prisoners in the camps allegedly include those opposed to the policies of North Korean President Kim Il-Sung and his son, Kim Jong-Il, or those disloyal to the North Korean Workers (Communist) Party. The booklet said they also include people discontented with the designation of the younger Kim as successor to his father, members of families of native North Koreans who fled to South Korea, "and such dissidents as repatriates from Japan who are disillusioned with the North Korean communist system..."

The booklet said internees must work more than 12 hours a day without pay, and at night are forced to attend two-hour "ideological re-education" sessions featuring "self-criticism."

"One reason for the expansion of concentration camps was that they were considered more suitable for confining not only political opponents of Kim Il-Sung and Kim Jong-Il, but their families as well, in order to completely isolate them from society," the booklet said.

South Korea is often criticized for human rights abuses. The presentation of the material on concentration camps in the north was seen by critics as aimed at countering such charges and improving South Korea's image.

NY Daily News' nears crucial deadline

NEW YORK (Reuter).— New York's largest paper, *The Daily News*, is locked into a negotiation for survival, a battle many of its employees fear it will lose.

In a business of deadlines, the major deadline for the survival of the *News* is April 25. This is the date that its potential new publisher set for the paper's 11 unions to agree to radical cost-cutting measures or face going under.

The *News*' owners have said that if potential buyer Joe Allbritton fails to win union agreement, it will shut down the paper.

But what Texas millionaire banker Allbritton wants is something no New York newspaper publisher has ever won from the city's entrenched print unions — the right to sever up to 40 per cent of the staff regardless of seniority, freeze wages for two years and have a guarantee of no strikes for five years.

The severity of his demands coupled with the owners' warning has caused widespread pessimism at the paper.

The demands strike at the heart of union power in New York's newspaper industry and are complicated by contracts that would make any "give-backs" at the *News* apply to New York's two other papers, *The Post* and *The Times*.

The *News* with its circulation of 1.5 million daily and two million on Sunday is the largest general circulation paper in the country. Only the nationally-published *Wall Street Journal* aimed at the business community has a higher daily circulation.

The *News*' circulation equals the combined sales of *The Post* and *The Times*, and its annual revenues of more than $350 million is the third highest for any newspaper in the country.

But it lost $11m. last year and sources said it was headed for a loss, estimated at between $20 and $50 million.

Potential Falkland battle zone remote, cruel

LONDON (Reuter). — Any sea battle between Britain and Argentina over the Falkland Islands will be fought in one of the loneliest and bleakest regions on earth.

The cold, grey seas around the islands and their dependencies, South Georgia and South Sandwich islands, are constantly lashed by the winds that sweep across the great southern ocean. Submarines, understood to be patrolling the British blockade of the islands that went into effect at 0400 GMT yesterday, will find the going easier than surface ships. Nuclear submarines — at least two are reported to be in the area — can stay submerged for months at a time.

But the main task force heading for the Falklands could have an uncomfortable time in the windswept wastes where the South Atlantic meets the Antarctic Ocean.

Gales hit the Falklands on an average of once every five days. The islands lie in the zone of the "roaring forties," the stormy westerly winds that girdle the bottom of the world from about latitude 40 degrees south to the frozen Antarctic continent.

The last time Britain was involved in naval action off the Falklands was in 1914 when the battle cruiser Invincible was involved in sinking the First World War German battleship Scharnhorst.

Although the Falklands are in the same latitude south as London is north, the climate is generally much colder. The Falklands lie about 800 kilometres northeast of Cape Horn, the storm-tossed southern tip of the South American continent.

SURPLUS. — Japan had a trade surplus of $9.2 billion dollars in the fiscal year ending in March 1982, the Finance Ministry announced yesterday. It was the third largest surplus in the country's history and up from a $5.9 billion deficit in fiscal 1980.

German peace rallies draw 480,000

DORTMUND, West Germany (Reuter). — West Germany's anti-nuclear peace movement said yesterday that 480,000 people took part in Easter marches to protest against the planned deployment of new U.S. nuclear missiles in Europe.

The four days of peace rallies up and down the country came to an end last night with demonstrations in Dortmund, West Berlin, Hanover and other cities which, the organizers said, drew about 150,000 protesters.

The weekend turnout, despite poor weather which included snow, was hailed as a major political success by a peace movement spokesman in Frankfurt, where the nationwide campaign was coordinated.

But the organizers' attendance figures were challenged by police spokesmen in Dortmund, venue for yesterday's largest rally, and in Frankfurt, where the peace movement had claimed 60,000 participants in a rally on Sunday.

Solidarity broadcast due last night

WARSAW (AP). — "Radio Solidarity," a new organization apparently formed recently, was planning to broadcast its first underground programme yesterday since last December's declaration of martial law, but some technicians were doubtful of its chances of success.

Small, typed notices appeared on churches and building walls here over the Easter weekend, announcing that the broadcast, which could include a message from Warsaw Solidarity leader Zbigniew Bujak, would be aired at 9 p.m. (1900 GMT) last night over FM radio.

The planned broadcast, if aired without jamming by the authorities, would be one of the more striking acts of defiance by Solidarity since the start of martial law four months ago.

By late Sunday afternoon there had been no official attacks on the planned broadcast, possibly reflecting the authorities' desire not to give the programme publicity.

The wall stickers asked people to "follow the instructions given in the programme. That will enable us to determine the scope and quality of the broadcast.

"In case of jamming, it will be repeated the next day at the same time, also on ultra-short waves but on another frequency," the notices said. "We won't give it here."

ARGENTINE PLAN

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recall the Commons — which adjourned last Thursday and was not due to sit again until April 19 — after consulting Michael Foot, leader of the main opposition Labour Party.

The Argentine plan included an offer to place the Falklands under Argentine civilian rather than military rule and to give the 1,800 mostly British residents participation in that rule, the sources said.

Britain mounted a naval blockade around the islands yesterday morning and has threatened to sink any Argentine warship within 200 miles (320 kilometres) of the chain. It has said it will not enter negotiations until Argentina withdraws the forces which seized the islands on April 2 after 150 years of British rule.

If Britain accepts the offer, Argentina would withdraw its 9,000 troops from the islands and accept a transitional administration involving the Organization of American States and NATO while final aspects of Argentine sovereignty are settled between Buenos Aires and London, the foreign ministry sources said.

In Tokyo, Japanese Prime Minister Zenko Suzuki yesterday sent a note to Thatcher reportedly saying that Japan cannot go along with Britain's request for economic sanctions against Argentina.

UN Secretary-General Javier Perez de Cuellar flew back to New York from Geneva yesterday after cutting short his European tour because of the Falklands crisis.

He said that neither party had asked him to intervene, but he confirmed that he has been in touch with Haig during the shuttle. He said his decision to fly back was "not because the situation has deteriorated."

The war zone around the Falklands was quiet yesterday, with apparently little prospect of an early clash between the two countries while Haig was still seeking a settlement.

Britain has said the whole Argentine navy, with the exception of two ships, was in mainland ports.

Argentine government sources said the British fleet of around 30 ships was still 10 days away from the Falklands, but added that British naval might could not keep Argentina from supplying troops and residents of the islands 640km. from Argentina.

The sources said the Argentine air force had a strong advantage in both numbers and logistics over the Harrier jump jets and helicopters being carried aboard the British aircraft carriers Hermes and Invincible. (Reuter, AP)

Sports

Safari victor

NAIROBI (Reuter). — Shekhar Mehta, 37-year-old Nairobi car dealer, won the tough Kenya Safari Motor Rally yesterday for the fifth time.

Mehta, a Uganda-born British national, finished the 5,000-kilometre rally in his works Datsun Violet GT with a 40-minute advantage over his closest challenger, West German Walter Rohrl, in a works Opel Ascona 400.

It was the fourth successive win for Mehta, who also won in 1973. All his victories have been scored in works Datsun cars.

Tennis line-up

The line-up for the men's semi-finals of the National Tennis Championships is as follows: Shlomo Glickstein or Udi Aviss vs. Shai Pusi and Shahar Perkis vs. Amos Mansdorf.

In the quarter-final matches played yesterday Perkis beat Reuven Porges 6-3, 6-2, Amos Mansdorf defeated Menashe Tzur 6-4, 3-6, 6-4 and Shai Pusi came through against West German Alex Morouz 6-4, 7-5.

The line-up for the women's singles is: Orly Bialestocki versus Iliana Berger and Ruthi Sverdloff versus Sagit Doron.

Play continues at the Dan Accadia hotel, at 2 p.m. today and at 1.30 p.m. tomorrow.

Baseball results

AMERICAN LEAGUE

Chicago 7-2, New York 6-0, 1st game 12 innings
Milwaukee 14, Toronto 5
Boston 6, Baltimore 0
Cleveland 13, Texas 1
Minnesota 3, California 1
Detroit 2, Kansas City 1
Seattle 6-1, Oakland 3-3, 1st game 16 innings

NATIONAL LEAGUE

Philadelphia 1, Montreal 0
Atlanta 5, Houston 0
San Francisco 6, Cincinnati 1
St. Louis 7, Pittsburgh 6
New York 5, Chicago 4
San Diego at Los Angeles, PPD., rain

Walrus wins

AUGUSTA (AP). — Craig Stadler, nicknamed "The Walrus," after blowing a six-shot lead, won the 46th Masters golf title in a sudden death play-off on Sunday by beating Dan Pohl with a routine par on the first extra hole. The chunky Stadler and Pohl, a career non-winner, finished the regulation 72 holes with matching scores of 284, four strokes under par. Seve Ballesteros and Jerry Pate tied for a third place with 285.

SPURS, UNITED WIN

LONDON (Reuter). — Tottenham kept English soccer championship leaders Liverpool in their sights with a 3-1 win over arch-rivals and London neighbours Arsenal yesterday. Garth Crook scored two and Mike Hazzard one.

Manchester United moved ahead of long-time leaders Southampton into fourth place with a 1-0 home win over West Bromwich.

STANLEY CUP PLAY-OFFS

New York Rangers shot down the Philadelphia Flyers 7-5; Pittsburgh Penguins outflew the New York Islanders 5-3; Rocky Bruins blasted the Buffalo Sabres 5-2.

70 die as ferry sinks

RANGOON (Reuter).— More than 70 people are feared to have drowned when a ferry with more than 200 people on board sank near here on Sunday night, Burmese officials said.

The officials, who were investigating the sinking yesterday, said the ferry, loaded with passengers, livestock and foodstuffs, was on a trip from the Irrawaddy Delta town of Henzada when it hit a sandbank and sank about 30 kilometres off Rangoon.

RELIGIOUS SERVICES

Pesach

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Tel Aviv	5.40 p.m.	6.40 p.m.
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Beersheba	5.39 p.m.	6.38 p.m.

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World Council of Synagogues (Conservative) 4 Rehov Agron. Tonight, 5.45 p.m. Shabbat 8.30. Dvar Torah by Rabbi Dr. Yosef Green.

Hebrew Union College — Jewish Institute of Religion, 13 King David St. Thursday morning 10 a.m. Sermon by Rabbi Steven Fuchs

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Jerusalem

MUSEUMS

Israel Museum. Exhibitions: Permanent Collection of Judaica, Art and Archeology. A Glimpse into the Past — The Tembach Collection — objects from the Ancient Near East. Trends in Art After 1945 — Representing such trends as non-geometric abstraction and Pop. Reality/Illusion — Children's exhibition dealing with visual illusions in culture and art. Primitive Art from the Museum's Collection. Royal Hunters and Divine Lovers — Indian miniature paintings from the 16th-19th century (I.M. Cohen Gallery). Towers of Spice — The tower-shape tradition in Havdalah spiceboxes (Library Entrance Hall). Bill Brandt — Photographs 1930-1980 (Goldman-Schwartz Gallery). Opening Exhibition — The Oil Lamps Section — new items from the Lewis and Garden Warshaw Collection. Metaphors and Allegories — Superstudio, Firenze (Palevsky Design Pavilion). Special Exhibit — Treasures of Silver Coins from Mamshit (Kurnub) (Roman Gallery). Special Exhibit — Toys and Games of the Ancient World (Rockefeller). Special Exhibit — Hebrew Ostracon from the fortress of Kadesh Barnea (Hebrew Script and Inscription Pavilion). Special Exhibit — Colour (Paley Centre, next to the Rockefeller). Special Exhibit — Adornment of a Jewish Bride, according to the tradition of Herat, Afghanistan. Special Exhibit — Selection of Drawings and Prints (Floorsheimer Pavilion).
Visiting Hours: Main Museum 1-2. At 10.30-12: Adventure Game in the Exhibitions (from age 9). Recycling Workshop (ages 5-8 with parents).

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Tel Aviv

MUSEUMS

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Visiting Hours: Sat. 10-2; 7-10; Sun., Mon., Tue. 10-10. Wed. closed. Thur. 7-10. Fri. closed. Helena Rubinstein Pavilion: Sat. 10-2; Sun.-Tue. 9-1; 5-8. Wed., Thur., Fri. closed.

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Netanya: Neot Shaked, Ezorim Industrial Centre, 52484.

WEDNESDAY

Jerusalem: (day) Mount Scopus, 287480; Balsam, Salah Eddin, 272315; Shu'afat, Shu'afat Road, 810108; Dar Eldawa, Herod's Gate, 282058; (evening) Super Farm, 5 Buria, Neve Granot, 639321
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WEDNESDAY

Jerusalem: Shaare Zedek (pediatrics), Hadassah E.K. (internal, surgery, ophthalmology), Hadassah M.S. (obstetrics, orthopedics), Bikur Holim (E.N.T.).
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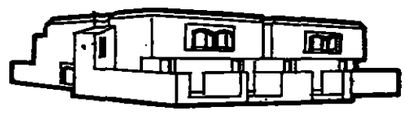
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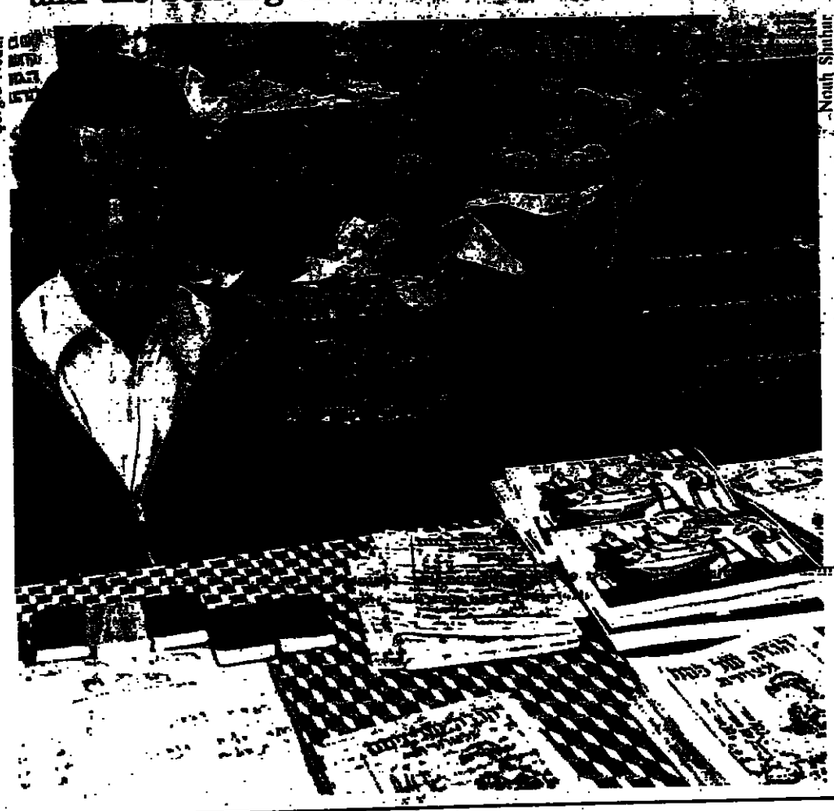




Mickey Melnick

PREPARING FOR PESSAH

A selection of photographs by second-year photography students at the Hadassah Community College, Jerusalem, on the subject of Pessah — from buying provisions to squeezing grapes for the 'seder' wine and the burning of the 'hametz.' This news project was organized by department head David Harris



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Workshop participants will devote their time to subjects in the fields of the geography, geology, archeology and history of the area and will be conversant with the history of settlement and Jewish creation through the ages, in time of tranquility and in days of war.

Practical and theoretical work in field and laboratory, will be on inorganic life, flora and fauna, landscape rehabilitation, the technological and historical installations of northern Israel on land and sea, the Kinneret and its reservoir basin.

Problems concerning the quality of life and their solutions, will be demonstrated both in the field and in the laboratory.

Meetings and verbal historical documentation will be held with the "Founding Fathers," veterans of "Hashomer," the settlement movements, with Palmah commanders, Israel Prize winners, and with scholars and researchers on "One Hundred Years of Yemenite and Biluim Immigration.

A study will be made of rabbinic literature throughout the ages in its praise of Israel, the people and the land. The humanistic and traditional aspects of the life of Yigal Allon, as a Galilean Jew, soldier and statesman, will be studied through meetings with Jews, Circassians, Druse, Beduin and Arabs.

* The following events will be organized for graduates of Lower Galilee Science Oriented Youth camp:
— Seminar — "The Continuity of the Jewish Yishuv in Galilee and Golan," in cooperation with the Rachel Yanait Ben-Zvi Youth Centre.
— Workshop on the organizing and writing of research works.
— Training for educational roles in "Beit Sifrayim" workshops and circles.

Workshops will be held under boarding school conditions at the following hostels:

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5/6. Pekiin/Ma'alot	State Religious — Boys/girls. Graduates 1978/79-1980/81 Classes Yod-Yod Aleph.

The first course, for pupils of classes Tet, Yod and Yod-Aleph will be held from Sundays to Thursdays from June 27-July 8 1982. Pupils sitting for their Bagrut examinations will be excused on the days that examinations take place.

The second course, for pupils of classes Zayin-Het be held from Sundays to Thursdays from July 11-22, 1982.

Registration: By letter to: Midrasha for Science Oriented Youth, P.O.B. 4467, 91043 Jerusalem. The letter should be written clearly and include full names, exact address with area code, home telephone number, name of school, school address and telephone number and the class in which the applicant is studying.

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Counselling for the anonymous

By LEA LEVAVI
Jerusalem Post Reporter

DO YOU HAVE a problem you'd like to talk about without revealing your identity? Are there things you want to know about birth control, sex or other subjects you are too embarrassed to discuss with your parents or teachers? If so, and if you live in or near Tel Aviv, Haifa or Beersheba, there are facilities for discussing such problems anonymously. Confidentiality is guaranteed, and the service is free.

Open Door was started last May by the Israel Family Planning Association to help young people (between the ages of 14 and 25) with problems that other clinics don't deal with, or with problems that young people hesitate to raise at other clinics because they would have to give their names or have their parents' permission to get help.

"When a girl comes to ask about birth control pills, we talk to her first to find out why she wants the pills, whether she has a steady boyfriend — all she is willing to tell us about herself and her relationship with her partner," says Noa Yifat, director of Open Door in Tel Aviv.

It is also suggested that the girl bring her boyfriend with her next time; why shouldn't he be in on decisions that have to do with their relationship? "We want to know as much as we can about the girl or the couple so we can see if she wants the pills or other birth control methods because everyone has them, or whether she really isn't sure she is ready for sex in the first place.

"In the end, every girl who asks for birth control help gets it, because the alternative — sex without birth control — is worse," say Noa.

THERE HAVE BEEN cases of boys accompanying girlfriends who believe they might be pregnant and offering to do whatever they can to make matters easier for her: "Maturity and readiness to accept the responsibilities of sex have nothing to do with age," says Noa. "We've seen 15-year-olds who were serious and ready, and 20-year-olds who see sex as a game, perhaps to cover up fears of a real relationship with another person."

Boys also seek counselling with sex problems of their own: "Failure at sex, or early ejaculation, cause anxiety, which only makes the problem worse," says Noa. "We try to solve the problem before it becomes a major one. Sometimes, just providing information is enough."

Not everyone who comes to Open Door wants to talk about sex. Sometimes, people visit the centre because they cannot make friends, or because they're not getting along with their parents, teachers or brothers and sisters.

"We can only handle problems which can be solved within five visits," says Noa, "because otherwise we wouldn't be able to be an Open Door and to see new people on a walk-in basis. We also don't do family therapy or counselling on serious psychological problems.

"When things like that are needed, we refer the person somewhere else, but we work with them to make sure that they get to the right place and receive the help they need. It's not a matter of referring to get rid of someone."

The people who work at Open Door are psychologists, social workers or school counsellors (in Tel Aviv or Haifa). Gynecologists are also available on certain days. All of them work at Open Door as volunteers after a full day's work elsewhere.

"I don't consider this voluntary work even though I don't get paid," says Abraham, a psychologist. "Working with these kids is fun for me. I get as much out of it as I give."

Judaism's political drama

By DAVID HARTMAN / Special to The Jerusalem Post

COMMUNITY IS the central frame of reference for the development of the Judaic world view. Halacha (Jewish jurisprudence) translates the consciousness of God within the social, political and economic frameworks of the community. The Sinai covenant was made with a chosen people, not with chosen individuals.

In Judaism, therefore, election is not an individualistic but a political concept. Judaism is concerned with providing a frame of meaning for the life of a community, rather than with offering salvation for the individual human soul. The collective structure of human life is challenged to embody the sovereignty of God. "You shall be a holy people," is a call to a political action in which limits are placed upon the absolute sovereignty of human institutions over human beings.

The kingdom of God is not merely an eschatological category, but above all a normative demand to be realized in the everyday existence of the community.

There is a profound statement in the Jerusalem Talmud according to which slaves are exempt from the commandment of reciting the *Shema Yisrael*, because the latter declares the unity and sovereignty of God in history, whereas they are subject to the manipulation and authority of human masters. Only he who is free from human exploitation can fully realize the command to acknowledge the sovereignty of God.

Reciting the *Shema*, the basic Jewish declaration of faith, is not an inward performance unrelated to man's social and economic status in the community. That declaration of faith must have implications for the way in which the Jew builds his political frames of reference. It is in this sense that the community lies at the heart of the Judaic faith experience.

Peoplehood, community, land, covenant are all social and political categories. From a biblical perspective, Judaism is inconceivable outside the life of the community. The promised land is essential to covenantal consciousness because it was only within the geographical context of the land that the Jewish community could fully realize its spiritual aspirations.

A religion whose primary aim is individual salvation, on the other hand, does not essentially require a particular geographic location to structure the aspiration to realize the life of faith.

Thus, the centrality of the land in Judaism is not a vestige of primitive tribalism or land mysticism, but derives from awareness that covenantal consciousness and the striving to acknowledge the kingdom of God must be mirrored in the political structure of the community.

WHEN THE JEWISH people lost its land and went into *galut* (exile), Judaism could no longer be fully realized in everyday life and accordingly acquired a provisional character, which remained such despite the many centuries for which *galut* lasted.

Galut spirituality was regarded by the Talmud as incomplete and, in a deeper sense, as antithetical to the ultimate spirit of Judaism. *Galut* was conceived in the categories of mourning, of alienation, of being cut off from the full source of life.

A constant longing was felt in *galut* Judaism; the longing of the Jew to anchor temporal existence in a larger frame of reference. Yet the suffering of the Jewish people never shifted the focus of that longing from the lost land to the hope for eternal life. The hope for immortality is not crucial to the spiritual drama of Judaism, nor is the eschatological hope for redemption and final resolution of human suffering.

Judaism stands or falls on its ability to sanctify the everyday life of society. It is within the economic, social and political spheres of society that the Judaic faith demands to be evaluated.

Given, therefore, the centrality of the community as distinct from the individual, one can appreciate the role of the family within the Judaic tradition.

The family is the social institution that brings the individual into the community. The family mediates the larger communal memories. Parents within the Judaic tradition tell stories whereby the child is linked to a larger drama that overcomes the loneliness of the biological individual and turns him into a member of a historical covenantal community. Human consciousness becomes historical when families mediate a historical drama.

This is why the holiday of *Pessah*, which celebrates the birth of the community, is celebrated within the context of the family.

In a symbolic sense, parents feed their children the bread of slavery and the longing for freedom. They recite together the *Pessah Haggada*, the story of how the Hebrew slaves were led out of Egypt. They create a living drama in which the present is saturated with the pilgrimage of a people on their way to attaining full national political existence.

In the *galut* context, the narration was a reaffirmation of the aspiration to return to the land and to political independence. The Pessah night of story-telling ends with the proclamation of the centrality of Jerusalem: "Next year in Jerusalem."

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In the Israeli context, the proclamation, "Next year in Jerusalem," signifies that Judaism is not a *galut* experience in which one focuses exclusively on the minutiae of ritual. Notwithstanding the indispensability of symbolic ritual, one must recognize that reborn Israel is a call to focus on new spiritual categories that deal with larger political and social issues.

"Next year in Jerusalem" expresses both hope and a declaration of intent. Our important challenge is not to allow Judaism to become trivialized by making it into a sentimental attachment to tradition or a way of providing the individual with some form of personal identity. Judaism is urgent if by "Next year in Jerusalem" we keep alive the commitment to make all of life the vessel for our spiritual longing.

Dr. Hartman, an Orthodox rabbi, is director of the Shalom Hartman Institute for Advanced Jewish Studies and a senior lecturer in philosophy at the Hebrew University of Jerusalem.

Plucky effort

MUSIC/ Yohanan Boehm

KIBBUTZ CHAMBER ORCHESTRA, with Robin Weisel Capsouto, soprano; Meir Mumblat, tenor; David Loden, baritone; the Rinat National Choir (Esco Music Centre, Ein Gev, April 10). Haydn: Symphony No.49, in F Minor; Puccini: "I crisantemi," for strings; Schubert: Mass in G Major.

FOR UNEXPLAINED reasons, the conductor of the Kibbutz Chamber Orchestra, Noam Sheriff, did not turn up for the opening of the Ein Gev Pessah Festival. The ensemble, pluckily, conducted itself, and a very good show it made. Concertmaster Carmela Saguy indicated entries and tempi, and the members of the group played with precision and zest, demonstrating solid preparation in rehearsal and also their *esprit de corps*.

The Haydn Symphony received a lively and crisp reading, hardly missing a conductor's directives. Unfortunately, the scheduled new work by Theodor Holdheim had to be replaced by a sentimental piece by Puccini, which did not measure up to the musical standard of the rest of the programme.

For the Schubert Mass, Hannah Tzur, a member of the Rinat Choir, took over the conductor's rostrum and, with the active help of all the members of the orchestra, led the combined ensemble without mishap. Robin Weisel-Capsouto contributed some beautiful singing in her quite demanding part, and the male voices performed their few solo lines valiantly.

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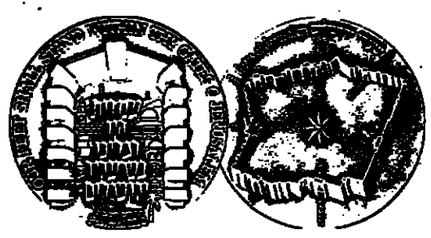
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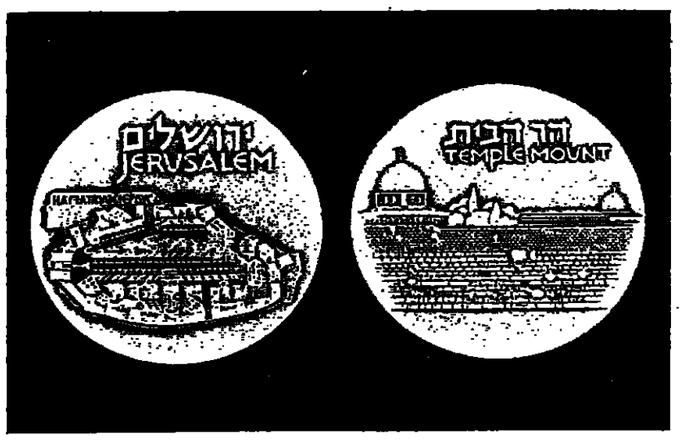
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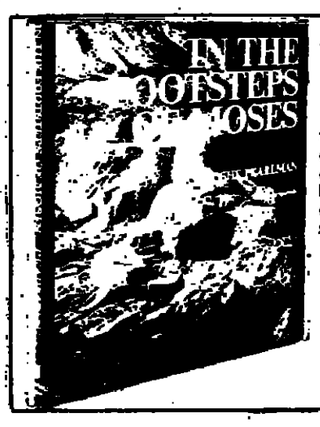
Bir Zeit University, an independent academic institution on the West Bank with some 1,800 Palestinian students, has been closed by the Israeli military authorities for two months, after suffering a similar two-month closure between November and January. On both occasions, student protests have been the pretext for the closure: on both occasions the punishment has been out of all proportion to the alleged offence.

Staff and students have been subjected to frequent harassment. During recent demonstrations, two foreign lecturers, a British volunteer teacher, Michael Allen, and an American teacher, Kathy Hess, were arrested. Allen was reportedly detained for ten hours at the Ramallah military prison. In addition, members of Bir Zeit's Student Council have been put under town arrest for six months, thereby being prevented from entering the university.

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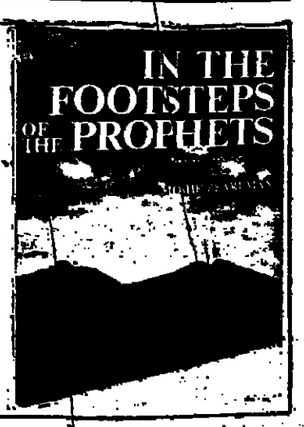
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Master at his craft

By F. NASHCHITZ / Special to The Jerusalem Post

AFTER more than 50 years of literary activity, crowned by a Nobel Prize, Halldor Kiljan Laxness, Iceland's formost novelist, still deserves to be read.

His characters, both historical and imaginary, come to life for the reader, and his works have proved their appeal in the East and the West, on both sides of the Iron Curtain. His novel *Free People* sold 600,000 copies in the U.S. and 300,000 in the USSR. *Salka Valka* was translated into 12 languages and filmed in Sweden and Iceland. The themes of poverty and humiliation and what happens to a suppressed people figure importantly in his two main works, a historical trilogy called *The Bell of Iceland* and the social drama *Light of the World*.

Laxness, who turns 80 this month, was born Halldor Gudjónson, the son of a family that knew poverty and toiled to make lava-strewn fields yield a crop. A literary bent showed early in the boy, who was fascinated by the ancient Sagas and who covered every scrap of paper with stories and ideas.

At 17, he left his homeland to find greener pastures in Europe, but the Continent was grim after the First World War.

The youth, who had taken the name of his native village, Laxness, as his surname, gained another new name. In Luxemburg, he was taken in by Benedictine monks, who baptized him "Kiljan." Halldor Kiljan Laxness sought a better and purer life and had ambitions to officiate in Rome. He did not neglect his writing. He published the surrealistic *Under the Holy Mountain* and then the more successful *The Great Weaver from Kashmere*, a stylistic masterpiece telling of the religious way.

But Laxness was not a man at peace with himself, and he eventually left the church and travelled, this time to America and Canada. He met writer Upton Sinclair, who became a close friend and a dominating influence on his literary efforts.

The 12 novels and five plays Laxness has written are all marked by sharp criticism of social injustice. They range widely in style and approach, but all reflect a cherishing of tradition and fine expression of dramatic tension.

Much attention, and criticism, was aroused by his *Lucky Warrior*, attacking the Vikings. In it the Norwegian Saint Olaf, who died a hero in battle against Danish King Knut, comes out defeated; even its critics admired its style and the author's brilliant handling of his subject. This was also the opinion of the conservative committee in charge of the Nobel Prize for Literature, who awarded him the prize.

LAXNESS HAS lectured in various countries before large and devoted audiences. Asked about the duty of a writer today and the role of literature, he has said:

"In my own case, being a poor doctrinaire and even less of a conformer to any sort of orthodoxy, I very soon discovered that these questions were beyond my capacity. In the first place, I do not like to deliver myself of the obligatory empty phrases they seem to expect: the direct reply called for, and implicit in the question, does not seem to me to be the intelligent one; on the contrary, I have the feeling that I am being pressed for a reply which is irrelevant and meaningless.

"A writer is a lone worker, usually with a much heavier working schedule before him than he can ever expect to cope with. The publishers and editors of newspapers and periodicals are lighthearted, easy-going men who cannot imagine why a writing man should not be instantly and effortlessly happy to comply with their wishes.

"When by subtle argumentation, they have cajoled you into airing your views on the issue, you lay aside your real work for weeks, or perhaps even months — in the case of a slow writer like myself — and finally you send in your contribution. And what is the outcome? As often as not — and in my case it is almost a rule — you will have the surprise of receiving your work back by return post, not even accompanied with a 'thank you' — that, is, if it has not been silently shelved in the editorial offices that so recently were pining for your honest opinion.

"It becomes evident that what those people expected of you was that you should support *their* opinions or ideas about the issue, give *their* views on it, adding only the seal of your signature; they never took you for such a fool as seriously to explain your own ideas.

"I have never allowed myself to become fossilized in dogmas or programmes, though I have been on nodding terms with many and the travelling companion of various apostles. But everything moves, the world changes, and with it dogmas, points of view and people. If a man fails to follow the changing world and refuses to reassess his ideas in the light of new knowledge, he's not good for much, except maybe as a party politician. Certainly not as a writer."

The author is Consul-General of Iceland in Israel.

Needling the critics

By GREER FAY CASHMAN
Special to The Jerusalem Post

AT 85, Moshe Gershonowitz is something of a hero. And on Thursday he will be named a Distinguished Citizen of Tel Aviv, a particularly gratifying turn of events, no doubt, since the award recognizes an achievement the people of Tel Aviv once frowned on.

When Moshe came to this country from his native Lodz in 1925, Yiddish carried the stigma of the ghetto. It was a language most people in the Yishuv preferred to forget. Not Moshe.

He devoted all his spare time to what was practically an underground operation, the Y.L. Peretz Library, named for the great Yiddish author. Although making too much noise about the need to perpetuate the *Mama Loshen* only invited trouble in those days, Moshe and others of like mind pursued their interest and set up the Y.L. Peretz Publishing House, which took upon itself the task of translating and publishing works by Jewish authors who were known to be anti-Yiddishists.

By feeding the egos of the authors, the Yiddishists succeeded in breaking down hostility and even in enlisting support.

Today, with the Yiddish revival, the Y.L. Peretz Publishing House has become a global nucleus for Yiddish literature. It has produced 600 titles. The works of Isaac Bashevis Singer are especially popular. Yitzhak Manger's works have been printed in a two-language edition — one page Yiddish, one page Hebrew.

The Y.L. Peretz Library now has 6,000 members who pay a small monthly charge to enjoy its large reading room and lending library of Yiddish and Hebrew books. Gershonowitz was nominated by his colleagues at the publishing house for the Distinguished Citizen Award, and they are basking in the glow of respectability.



Moshe Gershonowitz (Israel Sun)

FOR MOSHE it is a second round of a fame. He was not the first tailor in Tel Aviv, but one of the few masters of the craft. In 1934, his brother Israel joined him in the business and the two moved to 22 Rehov Sheinkin, which became *the* address for high-class, tailor-made clothes. The quality of his craftsmanship was so distinctive that an opening gambit at any social function was, "Oh, I see you've also been to Gershonowitz recently."

"I catered to all the aristocracy of the day, both the proletariat and the bourgeoisie," quips Gershonowitz. One of his regular clients was the wife of Arie Shenkar, one of the pioneers of Israel's textile industry, who was considered to be the Rothschild of Tel Aviv."

Where Mrs. Shenkar went, others followed — socialites, entertainers, artists and writers. Paula Ben-Gurion, Rahel Shazar and Chaim Nachman Bialik's wife all came to him. Sometimes they had to wait in line for as long as three months because an order, including up to four fittings, took at least a week to complete.

Moshe was a man who abhorred *the sweatshop mentality*. His left-wing Poalei Zion political leanings dictated a share and share alike operation.

As for his skill with needle and thread, Moshe describes himself as "the Almighty's partner in creation." With skilful tailoring, he explained, "I straightened out those parts of the body which were crooked." His only real competition was Sharshewsky, who, he concedes in retrospect, "didn't do a bad job at all."

Some of his old clients refuse to accept the fact that Gershonowitz has retired. A human fixture in Tel Aviv for more than half a century, he was expected, like Tennyson's brook, to go on forever.

But these days the only material that can capture his attention is that contained in a manuscript. He and his trusted friend, Shlomo Schweitzer, editor of the Y.L. Peretz Publishing House, find that they are kept very busy indeed.

DOLLARS AND POLITICS

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likely be added as the project encompasses more areas. A fully-equipped three-chair clinic costs between $50,000 and $100,000 depending on whether it is housed in a renovated or new building.

The Jewish Agency was given initial responsibility for opening and running the clinics because it was a convenient project to be funded by Diaspora money, which, as far as American Jewish communities are concerned, is not supposed to go directly to government bodies. (If it did, the contributions would not be tax-exempt.) In any case, the Health Ministry did not want to operate the clinics, only to supervise them and to have a say in who runs them.

Even before the first clinic opened last summer, the problem of managing them began to bother the agency renewal office and its head Yehiel Admoni. "We can hire people through local agency renewal offices to run youth programmes or teach adult literacy courses," Admoni said, "but what do we know about dentistry?"

"What do we know about ordering supplies or maintaining the expensive equipment in the clinics. Who, for instance, is going to watch the gold?" he asked. Answering his own question, Admoni went on: "We needed a non-governmental organization with extensive experience in running dental clinics and which could provide the staff for them, especially in outlying areas where it is hard to attract qualified manpower. Only Kupat Holim could do the job as we wanted it done."

An overall agreement between Admoni and Kupat Holim chairman Prof. Haim Doron, outlining the terms under which the health plan would manage the renewal clinics, was signed last August. Admoni and his staff began to push through specific agreements on the local level whereby Kupat Holim would manage the clinics for the five-year period in which Project Renewal is supposed to operate.

But then the resistance mounted.

"Unwarranted interference in community management of the project," complained local renewal workers.

"Unfair monopolization by Kupat Holim and a rip-off to boot," charged the Health Ministry.

"A political plot to favour the Histadrut," muttered local political activists.

"The Russians are coming," said local residents, worried that Kupat Holim would bring inallegedly less-qualified Soviet immigrant dentists.

The Health Ministry has been opposed from the start to what it saw as an attempt by the agency to create a monopoly for Kupat Holim in the renewal clinics, and is seething with resentment at having been excluded from the negotiations with Kupat Holim. The deputy director-general of the ministry, Moshe Hurvitz, said that it is not opposed to Kupat Holim managing some of the clinics, but only to the attempt by the agency to impose this solution in all areas. He also claims that the agreement between the agency and Kupat Holim does not provide for adequate supervision by the ministry on how the clinics are run.

The head of dentistry in the ministry, Dr. Moshe Kelman, explains that under the joint agency-government administration of Project Renewal, the government ministries are supposed to have the main and final say in areas of their professional competence, such as dental care. Admoni, he charges, has ignored the ministry from the start and has usurped the ministry's authority in a police-making area.

Admoni, who has a reputation for preferring to run his own show with minimal intervention by government ministries, claims that his department has the same status as a government ministry as far as Project Renewal is concerned and has the right to act independently. Agency officials yesterday failed to show up at a meeting of the joint agency-government body that administers the project, called to resolve the issue of who is responsible for the dental clinics.

The jurisdictional quarrel will now be referred to a higher level: contacts between ministers and Agency Chairman Arye Dulzin.

Admoni denied that he is trying to create a monopoly for Kupat Holim or to enable it to expand its network of clinics at public expense. He challenged the government to produce another qualified organization ready to take on the task. Agency officials claim that where local resistance to Kupat Holim is encountered and a viable alternative is found, they will cooperate. As an example they cite the clinic at Ofakim, which is to be managed by the local authority.

Agency officials tend to dismiss much of the Health Ministry criticism against their handling of the dental clinics as being politically motivated, aimed at hampering the expansion of Kupat Holim.

Ministry officials are particularly concerned about what they see as the overly generous terms of the management contract between the agency and Kupat Holim. They say that under the contract the agency agrees to provide the building, equipment, instruments and supplies for the clinic and pays for the staff's salaries. In addition, the clinic bills the agency for all individual treatments carried out, based on the standard Kupat Holim fee schedule.

Ministry officials claim that the Kupat Holim fee schedule covers expenses for equipment, materials, supplies and salaries, which means that the agency is paying much more than it should for individual treatments.

The head of dental services at Kupat Holim, Dr. M. Goldenberg, said that their standard fees are calculated to make their regular clinics "self-supporting," and stressed that patients in renewal areas will enjoy lower fees subsidized by the agency. He added that all residents of renewal areas will be eligible for treatment, not only Kupat Holim members.

Admoni said that the agency is trying two billing systems during the first year of Kupat Holim management to see which is more efficient. One system is based on billing for specific treatments, and the other on the total expenses incurred by Kupat Holim in running the clinic.

Dr. Goldenberg explained that the renewal clinics will be more expensive to run than their regular clinics. Usually, he said, in small towns like Sderot or Ekron, they start with one dental chair and gradually expand to two. Project Renewal, however, wants to start with three chairs, which means more overall expenses.

After the five-year period of management by Kupat Holim, the contract states that the health plan will continue to run the clinic if funding from "public sources" is found. If not, then Kupat Holim has the option of incorporating the clinic into its network, presumably paying for the capital investment originally provided by the agency, or relinquishing responsibility for operating the clinic.

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THE "MERMAID" muse seems to have hit all Israeli swimwear manufacturers with the same impact. The styles, cuts, fabrics, colours and prints of this summer's seaside collections are almost carbon copies of each other and individual manufacturers's signatures are difficult to decipher — a tribute to Gottex, which for years has set the pace for Israeli swimwear.

As always, Leah Gottlieb has show-pieces in cunningly conceived geometrics and asymmetrics which have eluded everyone else on the bandwagon: the exotic Persian and Indian-inspired prints are uniquely and distinctly Gottex. But in the more commercial lines, mirror images of maillots and bikinis are popping up everywhere.

There are two essential extremes: the demure, cover-as-much-as-you-can look and the itsy-bitsy bikini which is little more than a G-string and a skimpy bra top. Bosom sag — part and parcel of the natural look which prevailed in beachwear for several seasons — is destined for an uplift with the come-back of cups. Another, less welcome come-back is a preponderance of criss-cross strapping which is hardly conducive to a nice, even sun-tan.

Lydo has taken pregnant women into account, and offers a range of glamorous maternity swimming costumes with an overskirt fanning out from the top of the bust or just under the bust-line.

Stripes, checks, ruffles, finely pleated frills, key-hole cuts, metallic trims, halter-necks, cross-over bodices, singlet styles in Twenties revivals, Hollywood and Las Vegas images, crop up all over with shiny lycra as the most favoured fabric.

There are several newcomers in the swim this season. The most recent is Yam-Ly founded by the 60-year-old, third generation tailor Haim Zilber, who for more than 40 years has specialized in jackets for men and women. Recently he turned his hand to swimwear, more as an exercise than a business venture, but the demand for his creations was such that this year, he appeared on the scene with a new company and a small collection featuring 15 styles.

Also making a first-time splash in the local market is Alaska Sportlife whose swimming trials met with success at the annual Israel Summer Fashion Week last August. After scoring high points in export, Alaska Sportlife is taking the next lap on the home front, co-ordinating its one- and two-piece swimsuits with its regular sportswear lines.

Co-ordinates, too, are variations on a theme — mesh and fish-net blousons, wrapped skirts and sarongs, flowing caftans, unstructured fly-weight blazers, and all the things which come under the category of nautical sportswear.

Oded Gera, designing for Rikma, has included a mini peplumed caftan, split from the waist, as an alternative to the more dramatic full-volume caftan which also doubles for hostess wear.

Gideon Oberson has added a couture ambience with Spanish lace blousons, which make a pleasant feminine change from the multitude of stripes in his collection.

For those who want to put a French accent on their beach frolicks, Moi, manufactured in Israel by Aran, has just released its second collection at prices which are definitely competitive with Israeli brand-names.

For anyone who doesn't like the constricting feel of lycra, the options are cotton and tricot.

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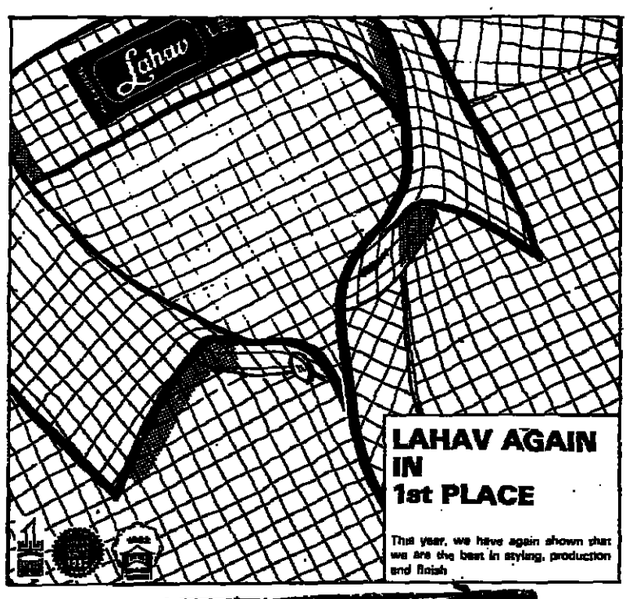
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Today Fashion



IT'S HATS OFF to Sheila Rotenberg, a tall, slender young woman from the U.S. who has settled in Israel, for her enterprising venture in importing a variety of tasteful and smart-looking hats.

Hat trick

Doreen Mishcon meets a woman who's giving us a head start.

Sheila, an observant religious woman, has always loved hats and wears them whenever possible. After immigrating over a decade ago, she was surprised to find that hats were practically unobtainable in Israel. Encouraged by friends similarly dissatisfied with the local millinery scene, she recently decided to go into business importing and distributing hats with the assistance of her husband.

Containing hats of all sizes in a variety of natural and two-tone coloured straws, with stunning trimmings of ribbons, artificial fruits and flowers, Sheila's first shipment is due to arrive in a few weeks. Her hats, priced at IS400 and up, give a completely new look to a spring or summer outfit and are an economical way of "dressing up" for an important function as well as a social visit.

Sheila's hats will be available at a number of stores throughout the country. In Jerusalem: "Jennie," 10 Keren Kayemet St., "Green II," New Centre in Beit Hakerem, and at "Stock & Co.," Ben Yehuda St. In Tel Aviv: "Contessa Studios," 6 Heh B'iyar St. at Kikar Hamedina, and at "Mango," Rehov Arlosoroff.

In addition, the hats are available in Rehovot, at "Eshet Hayil," and in Raanana at "Mira," Beit Hakishut, 98 Rehov Ahuza; and in shops in Netanya, B'nei Brak and Petah Tikva.



LOOKS AREN'T everything, but according to Naomi Bentsur, feeling good about yourself — including how you look — is about the most important personal goal one can achieve.

Bettered women

Betty Hilton finds someone with improving ways.

Bentsur is helping a group of Israeli professional women to "feel good" about themselves in a course she recently initiated at the Jerusalem Hilton. Entitled "Image Improvement," the course meets two evenings a week for three months. At its conclusion, Bentsur says she hopes the participants will "increase their self-confidence, communicate better with others, feel happy about their bodies, and be aware that they can make their lives more interesting."

"Image Improvement" covers three basic areas: appearance, fitness and communication.

In learning to improve their appearance, the women receive instruction on using make-up, good hair care, diet, nutrition and fashion. Experts in each area speak and conduct demonstrations on these subjects.

"Our approach is very practical," Bentsur stresses. "For example, in learning about make-up, every student in the class receives her own personal lesson. She learns what products and what range of colours look best on her. I'm particularly happy with our make-up consultant, Rena Anayes, who has done make-up for the theatre and TV, and is now doing an excellent job for us.

"In fashion we also stress what is practical. We don't want women to seek the latest fashion. On the contrary, we try to avoid fads. We teach the group how to make the most of a few items of clothing by achieving a coordinated wardrobe. We also help each one to learn what is most flattering to her personally."

One hour of each class period is devoted to physical fitness. An instructor either leads aerobic dancing or takes the group through a regime of exercises, and even incorporates the use of machines.

Says Bentsur, "Often in the beginning, an hour of exercise is too much for some of the participants. We encourage everyone to go at her own pace and do what she can. It is very gratifying to see how quickly people's level of fitness increases."

Bentsur herself teaches the third part of the course which focuses on communication. This is one of the most important areas of concentration, she says, as skills in communication are crucial in the ever-tense atmosphere of Israel.

"I teach techniques of conflict-solving, listening skills, tension release, and getting your message across. Communicating with others covers a lot.

"For example," she adds, "seventy per cent of communication is achieved not through the spoken word, but through body language. In our course, a woman learns how to enter a room full of people she doesn't know in a confident way, a way that says, 'I'm someone worth meeting.'

"When sitting down, many people fold their arms, tighten their legs, close themselves up. We try to get people to relax and open up. Standing up and speaking to a group is another ordeal for many people. We also work on this," Bentsur explains.

People keep their personalities a "secret" by speaking in a monotonous voice, without animation, she goes on, and they are afraid to speak about personal things. Speaking freely demands self-confidence.

"But as people begin to look and feel better, they get positive feedback from their friends and they do feel more self-confident," she says.

One of the most helpful — though sometimes difficult — moments occurs when each member of the group sees herself on video TV.

"This is maximum exposure," says Bentsur. "All the little nervous habits and mannerisms show up. It is an experience everyone should have if one wants to improve one's manner."

At first trying to change mannerisms seems unnatural, she explains, and people feel they are acting. But gradually they open up and express themselves more freely.

Speaking in her very direct and open manner, Bentsur seems to be a product of her own teaching. She is a native of Jerusalem and graduated with a degree in sociology from Hebrew University. The wife of a member of the diplomatic corps, she has lived in London, Budapest, and the U.S. For seven years she served as art critic for *Ma'ariv*.

After returning to Israel last summer after a six-year stay in Washington, D.C. where she took courses offered by the U.S. Department of Education, Bentsur developed her current interest in communication and image improvement.

"The courses I took were aimed at helping the professional in the area of personal relations," she states. "But the teacher always spoke about the need for one to have a good appearance as well. It seemed natural to put the two together, as I have done here in Israel."

Bentsur hopes to offer the course soon in English to wives of members of the diplomatic corps in Tel Aviv, and to other English speakers. Anyone interested in registering can call her (Tel. 02-661486).

ENERGY & THE CONSUMER

Oil, Coal or Nuclear Energy...

What will be our sources of energy as we move into the 21st century?

This question is the subject of repeated discussions at the Electric Corporation. The oil crisis of 1973 produced many changes in Israel and the world, particularly in the operations of the Israel Electric Corporation. In fact, it would be hard to find an organization as much affected by the oil crisis as the Corporation.

Various events, such as the oil embargo imposed by the Arab countries, the Iranian revolution, the Iran-Iraq war, and the dizzy rise of oil prices have brought the western world to the realization that one cannot rely on oil as an energy source, and that dependence on this source of energy must be reduced. This realization produced an important turning point in the long-term policy of the Electric Corporation, and in the Corporation's development plans for generation. It has been decided that heavy oil will, in the future, not be used to fire power stations, and that alternative sources of energy must be investigated — nuclear, hydraulic, solar, and other fossil fuels (shale oil and lignite).

This investigation has shown that the only sources which can be utilized in the relatively short term are coal and nuclear energy.

In 1974 the construction of a nuclear power station in Israel was considered but, for various reasons, the start of construction was delayed, and it was decided to go ahead with the erection of a coal fired station.

The considerations were the price of coal, which is much cheaper than oil, the fact that the world's coal reserves are sufficient for hundreds of years, and the location of a big proportion of the oil reserves in countries that are hostile to Israel.

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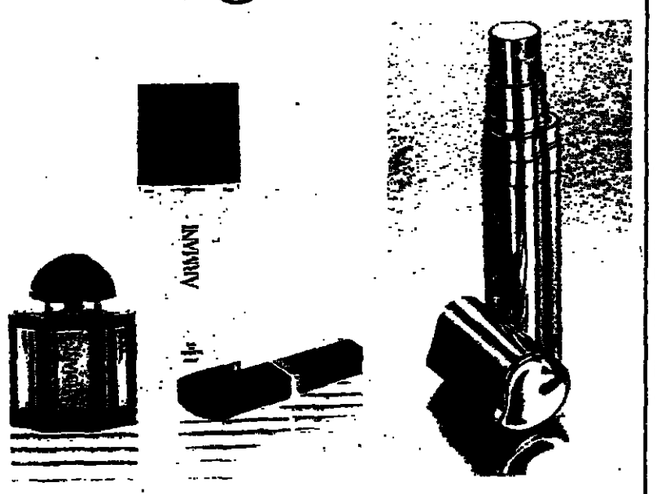
Towards the end of the eighties, another power station in the south of the country will start feeding into the grid. Thus, in the nineties, more than 85% of Israel's electricity will be generated from coal. It seems reasonable to assume that a nuclear power station will not be operating in Israel before 1995, by which time the presently envisaged programme of construction of coal fired stations will be largely completed, peak loads being coped with by the operation of gas turbines, hydroelectric stations (planned for erection at Almagor, with another one envisaged for incorporation in the scheme for interconnecting the Mediterranean and the Dead Sea) and possibly stations based on solar ponds and shale oil — the alternative sources so far considered.

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On the market

Hitting the bottle



THE INVITATION jointly issued by Halston New York, Orlane Paris, Daor Ltd. Imports and Edy Cosmetics Ltd. — all personified by Henri Zimand — announced "the launching of the Halston Line." Aah, fashion writers thought, now there's no need to travel to New York to buy Halston creations. But the elation was short-lived. The treat in store was not Halston fashion but Halston fragrance for both men and women in Halston-designed bottles and spray containers.

The various receptacles presented to the press were impressive, although the fragrances seemed, to this particular writer, too sweet.

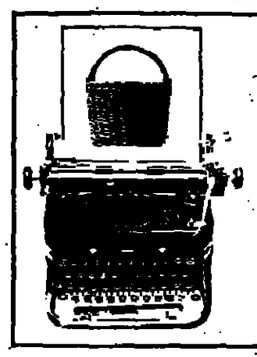
Halston's biography, included in the press-kit, concentrated more on his fashion history and awards over the last 25 years than on his scent-sations, but for the sake of balance, there were no less than six glossy photographs of Halston fragrance containers.

Of course we shouldn't have been surprised, because there have always been so many different lines produced under the magic Halston name: millinery, womens' wear, mens' wear, American Olympic uniforms, ballet costumes, designs for the home, perfumes and toilet sprays, rainwear, loungewear, furs, baggage, towels, linens. "The Halston Line" can apply to just about anything. It would have been better if the invitation had been more specific, especially for a promotion involving such a universally acclaimed name...

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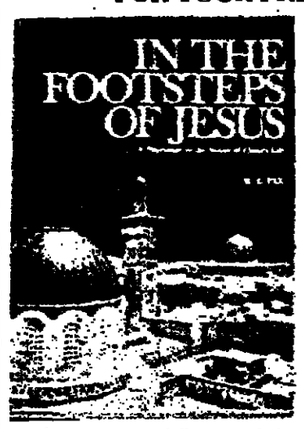
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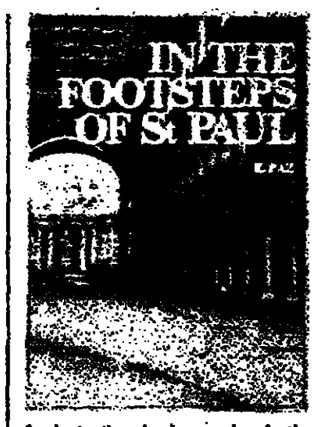
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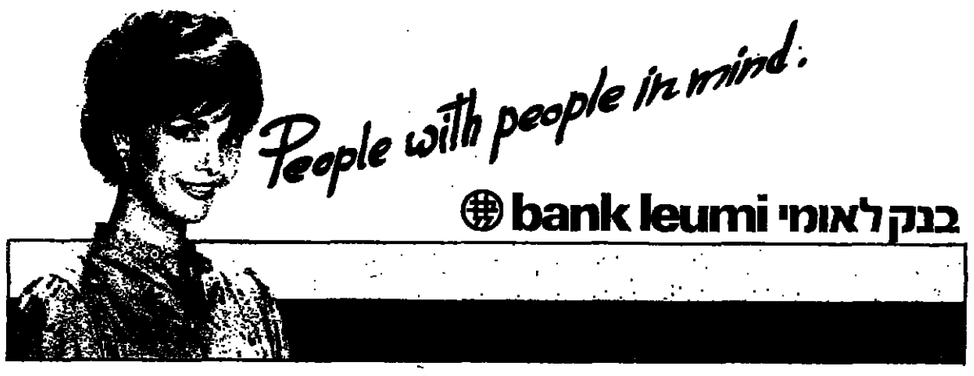
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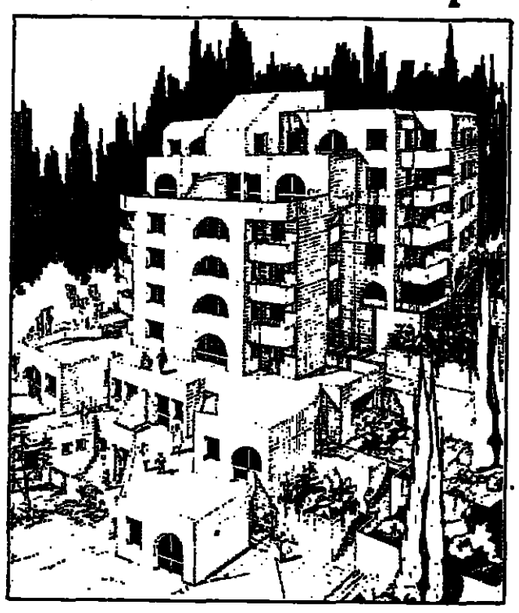
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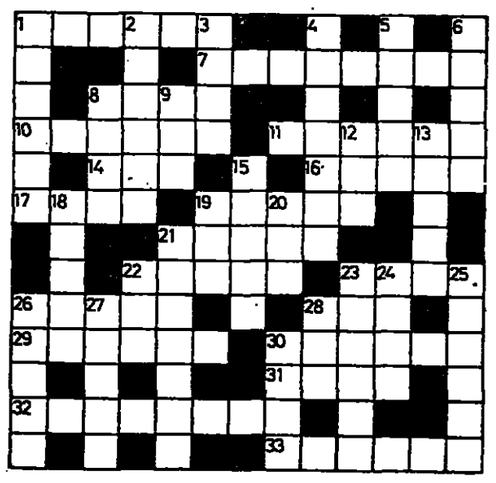
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CRYPTIC PUZZLE

ACROSS

1 Will she not strike us as wifely? (6)
7 Just the girl to elope with a writer (8)
8 Product of a heated outburst (4)
10 A good-hearted tobacco user (6)
11 Tried to organise voters (6)
14 Where some poor fish are in tune together! (3)
16 The value, to me, of a letter from Rita (5)
17 Sly remarks about lodgings (4)
19 One form in which darts can be played (5)
21 It's used in combat, on occasions (5)
22 Drew the line at being dictated to? (5)
23 Jane's new name (4)
26 It's slow to glide out of the way (5)
28 Coster's lettuce (3)
29 Take no notice of the change in the region (6)
30 Meal for a drinker? (6)
31 Airport in Paris or part of Lyons (4)
32 Elevated status of one man's joint (8)
33 "Sailor" whose offence is serious (6)

DOWN

1 Gathered people up (6)
2 Old Bob takes bets (6)
3 Box for a spare part (4)
4 Winner at the wedding? (4, 3)
5 Car driver (5)
6 Lease anew some shelter, possibly (5)
8 Short change for ages! (4)
9 Surgeon in grave trouble (3)
12 Angry looking revolutionary (3)
13 Clubhouse? (5)
15 Say what may be true outwardly (5)
18 It's sweet but cold (5)
19 Al's girl? (3)
20 Shooting stick? (3)
21 Plant some tulips in the brush (7)
22 Carioca city (3)
23 Great Scott! (6)
24 Spot a noted agent (4)
25 Helped to recover from some wild blunders (6)
26 Foolishly near the bat? (5)
27 Mad but not certifiable (5)
28 'Tis from Tony we get this dog (3)
30 Placatory offerings of milk, sometimes? (4)

Yesterday's Cryptic Solution

ACROSS. — 1, Cross. 6, Pitch. 9, Thrower. 10, Story. 11, Piano. 12, Trips. 13, Signora. 15, For. 17, Plug. 18, Brains. 19, Jerry. 20, Al-lies. 22, C-are. 24, Toy. 25, Swallow. 26, Leg-Al. 27, Ca-RI-b. 28, Te-X-as. 29, Sea li-O-n. 30, Metal. 31, Otter.

DOWN. — 2, Retail. 3, Strug. 4, Shy. 5, Cobra. 6, Peppery. 7, Iris(h). 8, Canton. 12, Tries. 13, Sprat. 14, Gully. 15, Final. 16, Ren-ew. 18, BR-awl. 19, Jezebel. 21, Locate. 22, Cl-E-at. 23, Rota-te. 25, Sails. 26, L-is-a. 28, Too.

EASY PUZZLE

ACROSS

1 Mutilate (6)
7 Speculations (8)
8 Tedious person (4)
10 Brief downpour (6)
11 Mix (6)
14 Aged (3)
16 Assume for argument (5)
17 Specks (4)
19 Woollen cloth (5)
21 Staggers (5)
22 Kingdom (5)
23 Dash forward (4)
26 Ventilated (5)
28 Scottish mountain (3)
29 Dazed condition-(6)
30 Small boat (6)
31 Poems (4)
32 Owing money (8)
33 Whole (6)

DOWN

1 Formed a crowd (6)
2 Menacing noises (6)
3 Always (4)
4 Bands of colour (7)
6 Boasts (5)
6 Valuable possession (5)
8 Item of footwear (4)
9 Colour (3)
12 Signal assent (3)
13 Body organ (5)
15 Increase in size (5)
18 Satellite's path (5)
19 Beverage (3)
20 Deciduous tree (3)
21 Small fort (7)
22 Material (3)
23 Loathe (6)
24 Insects (4)
25 Flourish (6)
26 Meat jelly (5)
27 Of red complexion (6)
28 Partly-opened flower (3)
30 Signalling system (4)

Solutions to today's puzzle tomorrow

North American Bank had 53% growth

TEL AVIV. — The total assets of North American Bank Ltd. as at December 31, 1981 amounted to IS756.6 million, compared to IS245.8 at the end of 1980, an increase of 208 per cent (53 per cent in real terms). These details were announced Sunday after the approval of the bank's financial statement.

Net profits, after provision for taxes, came to IS9.3m. reflecting a gain of 200 per cent (47 per cent in real terms).

Reckoned according to the new guidelines laid down by the Institute of Certified Public Accountants in Israel, the net profit was 6.9 per cent of the equity capital.

North American Bank Ltd. is owned by a diversified group of Americans, Europeans and Israelis. Ira Guilden of New Yorkis the chairman of the board. The bank operates three branches, in Jerusalem, Tel Aviv and B'nei Brak. A fourth branch is to be opened in Ashdod, soon.

The bank is active in the U.S. through a representative office in New York, and a subsidary, Northam Funding Corporation, a financial company established last year in New York.

U.S. clears seized cargo for Libya

NEW YORK (AP). — Part of a cargo of water-purification equipment destined for Libya, but seized on March 26 on a Brooklyn pier has been cleared for export, *The New York Times* reported Sunday.

The seizure was the first under the Reagan administration's March 12 ban on high-technology exports to Libya and on oil imports from Libya. A two-week extension was allowed, however, for goods already in transit.

After clearing up an interpretational dispute with the U.S. Customs Service, the U.S. Commerce Department ruled on April 1 that approximately $300,000 worth of water purification equipment from Ionics Inc. could be cleared for shipment.

The rest of the cargo, $795,000 worth of oil and gas equipment from Manhattan-based Oasis Oil Co. of Libya Inc., remains impounded.

Would-be hoteliers now have to advertise

Entrepreneurs wishing to build hotels with government assistance will now have to show that they are prepared to bring in clients as well as put up the building, the Tourism Ministry announced yesterday.

According to the new policy investors will have to prove that they are making plans to advertise their hotel abroad. The announcement comes in the wake of official statistics which show that over the past two years Israel's hotels have suffered from an ever-decreasing occupancy rate.

At the same time, Shlomo Tal, director general of the Government Tourist Corporation, which supervises government credits for tourist projects, noted that some 7,500 hotel rooms are currently being built. By 1987, he said, the country will have 34,000 hotel rooms.

Interim order allows El Al to continue Sabbath flights

By JOSHUA BRILLIANT
Jerusalem Post Reporter

TEL AVIV. — The Tel Aviv labour court Sunday issued a temporary injunction barring the government from unilaterally grounding El Al flights on Saturdays and Jewish Holidays. The injunction will remain in force until the Histadrut's and workers' request for a permanent injunction is heard later this month, or there is a contrary court order.

This was an apparent victory for the airline's staff committees fighting the government's intention to stop flights in accordance with the coalition agreement with Agudat Yisrael.

Eight workers had signed the appeal to Judge Hanna Hardof claiming their labour contract of December 31, 1979 said work arrangements should be "coordinated" between management and staff.

The government sought to postpone the court hearings, telling Judge Hardof the staff will have ample time to appeal against the step should the government indeed decide to stop the flights. But the court ruled the government had no standing in the case because it was not the employer.

Interviewed after the ruling was issued, Transport Minister Haim Corfu said the cabinet will have to consider the new development when it discusses the flights' future. The subject is due to come up in the cabinet soon.

Arkia to fly from Jerusalem to Europe

Jerusalem Post Reporter

TEL AVIV. — Arkia intends to begin flying from the Jerusalem airport at Atarot to Europe within six to eight weeks, the company's senior vice-president David Borovitz jubilantly told *The Jerusalem Post* on Sunday.

He announced his company's decision after the cabinet decided that during the next six months Arkia may fly from Atarot Airport and that if foreign governments refuse landing rights, its planes may land at Ben-Gurion to circumvent the ban. By landing at Ben-Gurion for refuelling and possibly taking on passengers, Arkia may describe the Jerusalem-Ben-Gurion leg as a domestic flight, and therefore of no concern to a foreign government.

According to Borovitz, the runway at Atarot suits the twin-engine Boeing 737S Arkia intends to use, but certain changes are required in the control tower. He said he will meet the Airport Authority officials soon to discuss the matter.

The cabinet's decision puts Arkia charter flights on a par with foreign charter companies which have received special permission to fly Israelis and foreigners on the same aircraft during the summer between Ben-Gurion and cities the scheduled airlines serve. The decision about Arkia's flights after November will be considered then.

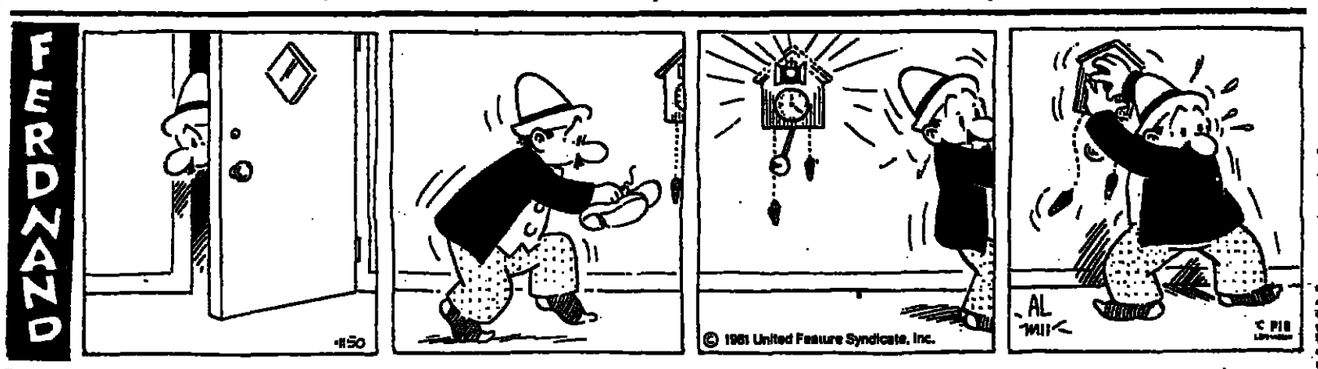
New air lanes set for flights to Eilat

New airlanes for civilian flights to Eilat were introduced this week because the old ones pass through areas closed for Air Force maneuvers.

The new lane goes from Tel Aviv over Ben-Gurion Airport and Jerusalem to Jericho where it turns south to Eilat. Four navigational aids are to be installed en route to help pilots maintain the correct course, a senior Transport Ministry official said.

This lane will be controlled by the Civil Aviation Authority, but near the Uvda air base the civil authority and the air force will coordinate flights.

The old lanes for domestic flights passed from Ben-Gurion to Gush Etzion and then south to Eilat, while international flights were routed over Ashkelon.



ENTERTAINMENT

TELEVISION

EDUCATIONAL:
9.00 Spring Songs
9.20 Yogi Bear
9.30 King David's Cave
9.45 Boomsville — animated film
10.00 Castaway (part 11)
10.25 Magic Hand
10.30 The Tims Tunnel
14.00 Pessah Traditions
14.15 The Flaxton Boys
14.40 Music
CHILDREN'S PROGRAMMES:
15.00 On the seashore — a walk along Israel's beaches (repeat)
15.25 3, 4, 5½ — the Miracle Worker. Based on the story by I.L. Peretz
ARABIC-LANGUAGE programmes:
18.30 News roundup
18.32 The Super Seven
19.00 Panorama: Arab seamen in the Israeli navy
19.30 News
HEBREW PROGRAMMES resume at 20.00 with Spring Songs
20.30 News
20.45 Yona Atari and Illy Gorlitzky present songs by Natan Alterman
21.30 The Band Wagon. Vincent Minnelli's 1953 musical about a movie star and a ballet dancer who must work together. Starring Fred Astaire, Cyd Charisse, Oscar Levant and Jack Buchanan
23.20 News
JORDAN TV (unofficial):
17.40 Cartoons 18.00 French Hour 18.20 (JTV 3) The Flying Kiwi 19.00 News in French (JTV 3) Candid Camera 19.30 News in Hebrew 19.45 Magazine Zero One 20.00 News in Arabic 20.30 The Story of Writing 21.30 Seven Ages 22.00 News in English 22.15 To be announced

ON THE AIR

First Programme

6.11 Musical Clock
7.07 (stereo): Boccherini: Oboe Quintet No.1 in G Major; Kozeluch: Bassoon Concerto; Saint-Saens: Gypsy Dance from Henry the Eighth; Wolf-Ferrari: Suite from The Diamonds of the Madonna
8.05 (stereo): Purcell: Ode for the Birth of Queen Mary; Pierne: Mareh; Mendelssohn: Violin Concerto (Isaac Stern, Jerusalem Symphony, Lukas Foss); Dvorak: Symphony No.1 in C Minor (Kertesz); Partos: Bells of Jerusalem, for Piano and Strings (Cantilena)
10.05 (stereo): Spring Celebration — Claude LeJeune: Spring has Returned, Chanson; Respighi: Spring from Boticelli Tryptyque; Orff: In Spring and Autumn from Carmina Burana (Jochum); Saint-Saens: Excerpts from Samson and Delilah; (Barenboim); Debussy: Spring Dances from Images; Stoiz: Spring Parade
11.00 Sephardi Traditions
11.30 Education for All
12.05 For Children — Yosef Achron: Suite for Children (Arieh Sachs, Allan Tchaikov, Yair Kless, Yuval Hadari, Michiko Muda); Prokofiev: Peter and the Wolf (Jerusalem Symphony, Rodan, Motti Barkan, narrator)
13.00 (stereo): Beethoven: Excerpts from Fidelio (Gundula Janowitz, Dietrich Fischer-Dieskau, Hans Sautin, Rene Kollo, Bernstein); Korngold: Aria from Die Toten Augen (Leontyne Price); Halevy: Excerpts from The Jewess (Martina Arroyo, Anna Moffo, Richard Tucker, Bonaldo Giaiotti, Antonio de Almeida); Puccini: Excerpt from Turandot (Leontyne Price, Daniel Brioni)
14.10 Children's Programmes
15.00 Programme for the last day of Pesah
16.05 (stereo): Sounds and Shadows
16.40 (stereo): Handel: Royal Fireworks Music (Marriner); Mozart: Clarinet Concerto K.622 (Richard Stolzmann, Alexander Schneider); Hoz: Psalm
17.35 Programmes for Olim
20.05 (stereo): Recordings of a special concert of the European Broadcasting Union held in Vienna, marking Haydn's 250th birthday — The Creation, Oratorio
22.00 Pessah songs
23.00 (stereo): Recordings of Arthur Schnabel — marking his 100th birthday
00.10 (stereo): Music from the Renaissance and the Baroque Periods

Second Programme

6.12 Gymnastics
6.22 Agricultural Broadcasts
6.40 Editorial Review
6.54 Green Light
7.00 This Morning — news magazine
8.10 All Shades of the Network
12.05 Of People and Places
12.30 Hebrew Songs
13.00 Midday — music, news commentary
14.10 In a Minor Tone
16.10 Songs and Readings for Pessah
17.05 My Way — the story of MK Rafi Suissa
18.05 Spring Folklore — songs and stories
19.05 Israel in the Spring
20.05 Improvisation in Jerusalem — repeat broadcast of the closing concert of the Israel Jazz Festival
22.05 Rose Water — the golden age of Spanish Jewry
23.05 Songs of Avraham Shlonsky.

Army Radio

6.30 University on the Air — Prof. Yuval Gorni talks about Zionism in Israel
7.07 "707" — Alex Ansky reviews the morning papers
8.05 IDF Morning Newsreel
9.05 Right Now
11.05 Golden Oldies
12.05 On Drivers and Traffic — holiday traffic reports
14.05 Two Hours — music, anecdotes, reviews and interviews
16.05 Elijah the Prophet
16.55 Aliya Stories — 1969
17.05 Holiday Interview — with Chief of the General Staff Rafael Eitan (repeat)
18.05 Holiday Songs
20.05 Holiday Concert — Handel: Water Music, Suites 2 and 3; Mendelssohn: Symphony No. 4, Italian; Haydn: Cello Concerto No. 101 in D Major; Haydn: Spring from Seasons; Aharon: Hebrew Tune 22.05 Out on the Lawn
23.05 Roots — with Olim from Northern Africa
00.05 MK Danny Rosolio presents songs of Eretz Yisrael

Wednesday

TELEVISION

ARABIC LANGUAGE programmes:
18.30 News roundup
18.32 The Rovers
19.00 Sports
19.30 News
HEBREW PROGRAMMES resume at 20.00 with song and dance for the end of Pessah.
20.30 Another Hit — Hebrew songs
21.00 Mabat Newsreel
21.15 Israel in Egypt. Second in a two-part performance of Handel's oratorio performed by the National Scottish Choir and the Jerusalem Symphony Orchestra at an open air concert on the Red Sea
22.05 Oscar Awards — film of the recent Oscar Award ceremony
23.40 News
JORDAN TV (unofficial):
17.40 Cartoons 18.00 French Hour 18.20 (JTV 3) Richie Rich 18.40 (JTV 3) Amazing Animals 19.00 News in French 19.30 News in Hebrew 20.00 News in Arabic 20.30 Benson 21.10 To be announced 22.00 News in English 22.15 Drama: The Discoverer

ON THE AIR

First Programme

7.11 (stereo): Mendelssohn: Atalia Overture (Atzmon); Bach: Concerto for Violin and Oboe (Soloist di Zagreb); Beethoven: 7 Variations on The Magic Flute, for Cello and Piano; Hanoch Jacoby: David's Violin (Uri Segal)
8.05 (stereo): Holiday Morning Concert. Mozart: Horn Concerto No.1, K.412 (Barry Tuckwell); Britten: Four Sea Interludes and Passacaglia from Peter Grimes (Ormandy)
10.05 (stereo): Recordings of the Jerusalem Symphony Orchestra — all-Mozart-programme — Symphony No.35, K.385 (Gary Bertini); Piano Concerto in D Minor, K.466 (Mindru Katz, Gary Bertini); Excerpts from Cosi fan tutte (Stella Richmond, Norma Lerer, M. Laron, Keith Louis, Bruce Halev, Peter Savidge, Gary Bertini)
12.05 One Family
13.00 (stereo): An Hour with Daniel Barenboim — Mendelssohn: Venetian Gondola Song, Albumblatt; Brahms: Sonata No.3 in D Minor, Op.108 for Violin and Piano (with Pinhas Zukerman); Beethoven: Trio, Op.70, No.1 (with Pinhas Zukerman and Jacqueline du Pre)
14.30 Children's Programmes
15.00 (stereo): Songs and Words — Marking Haydn's 250th birthday — with the Israel Sinfonietta, Beersheba, Mendi Rodan; Eldad Neumark; Robin Weisel-Capsouto; Readings by Ilsu Toren, Gideon Shemer, and Dalia Friedland
17.35 Programmes for Olim
20.05 Everyman's University
20.35 (stereo): The Jerusalem Symphony Orchestra — Zvi Avni: For the Holiday (Mendi Rodan); Ravel: Tombeau de Couperin (Sidney Harth)
21.15 (stereo): Handel: Israel in Egypt, Part Two performed by the John Currie Singers, the Edinburgh Festival Choir, the Scottish National Choir, and the Jerusalem Symphony (The Concert will be screened simultaneously on Israel TV)
22.15 (stereo): Deryl Rosenberg, piano — Partos: Piece for Piano; Chmura: Piano Piece; Berio: Pastorale; Cage: music for Marcel Duchamps; Poulenc: French Suite after Claude Gervase; Jerome Barry, baritone; Jonathan Zak, piano — Schubert: 7 Lieder; Faure: 4 Chansons; Isiah Braker, violin; Irene Blaser, piano — Kirman: Songs of Yemenite Jews; Leon Stein: Invocation and Dance
00.10 (stereo): Jazz Hour — Ornette Coleman (recordings from his appearances in London in 1965)
Thursday, 15.4.

Second Programme

7.11 Holiday Songs
8.05 Musical Mosaic
9.05 Smiles — skits and humour
10.05 The Moroccan Jewish Community
11.05 Freedom — recordings of the Israel song festival in the Sephardi tradition
12.05 The story of the aliya from India
13.05 Green Vines
14.10 Good Evening Jerusalem — selections of the weekly programme
16.05 Our Language — Aramaic
17.05 Israel Prize Winner Ze'ev Vilnai tours Jerusalem
18.05 The Legend of Shalom Shabazi
19.05 Programme for the end of the Pesah
20.10 Bible Reading — Song of Songs 7,8
20.22 The Habad Movement
21.05 An Hour with the Dudaim Duo
22.05 In Memory of Poet Avraham Halfi (part two)
00.10 Hebrew Songs

Army Radio

6.05 Morning Sounds
7.10 Songs
9.10 The Happy Choir — children's programme
10.05 Ilanit in Concert
11.05 Touring Army Land — visiting army units throughout the country
12.05 The Brelra Tivit ethnic music ensemble
13.05 Money is no Compensation — talking to Yamit settlers
14.05 Holiday Noon
16.05 From Argentina to Israel (repeat)
16.55 100 Aliya Stories — 1970
17.05 Personal File — Hanna Zemer talks to Aluf Mishne Aviva Dor (repeat)
18.05 Relay Race — the work of aliya emissaries (repeat)
19.05 Mediterranean Atmosphere
21.05 On Jewish Tradition
22.05 Classical Night Birds
23.05 Roots — with olim from the Balkan
24.05 Night Birds — songs, chat

CINEMAS

JERUSALEM 4, 7, 9
Eden: Condorman; Edison: Gone with the Wind 4, 8; Superman, 10.30 a.m.; Kfir: On Golden Pond 4, 6.45, 9; Raiders of the Lost Ark 10.30 a.m.; Mitchell: Mephisto 6.45, 9.15; Orgil: Repeat Dive; Flying Horse 10.30 a.m.; Orion: Who Finds a Friend Finds a Treasure; Oron: Noa at Seventeen; Ron: The Man Who Came to Take; Semadar: Lady Chatterley's Lover 7, 9.15; Binyenei Ha'uma: The Formula 6.45, 9; Children of Captain Grant 10.30 a.m.; Cinema One: Alien; Chinatown 2.30; Wed. Chinatown 7.15; Dirty Harry 9.30; Thur. Dirty Harry 7; Somebody Up There Likes Me 9; Israel Museum: Thur. M.G.M.'s Big Parade of Comedy 11, 3.30; Cinemathaque: Wed. At the Circus 7; Don Giovanni 9.30; Thur. Pete's Dragon 11, 4; Hester Street 7

TEL AVIV 4.30, 7.15, 9.30
Allenby: Neighbours; Ben-Yehuda: On Golden Pond; Chen 1: First Monday in October 4.40, 7.25, 9.40; Superman II, 11, 2; Chen 2: Whose Life Is It Anyway? 4.30, 7.05, 9.35; That Darn Cat 11, 2; Chen 3: Gallipoli 4.30, 7.05, 9.35; 101 Dalmations 11, 2; Chen 4: Straw Dogs 10.30, 1.30, 3.45, 7.15, 9.45; Chen 5: Atlantic City, U.S.A. 10.35 1.35, 4.25, 7, 9.25; Cinema One: Pester Your Parents, Enjoy Life; Cinema Two: Mephisto; Dekel: Chariots of Fire 7.15, 9.30; Drive-In: Water Babies 7.15, Fast Charlie 9.30; Passionate Women midnight; Esther: Le Professionnel; Gat: Peter Pan 11, 2.30, 4.30, 6.30, 8.30; Gordon: Padre Padrone 7.15, 9.30; Escape to Victory 11, 4, 5.45; Hod: Who Finds a Friend Finds a Treasure; Maxim: Water Babies 11, 4.30; Guns of Navarone 7, 9.30; Mograbi: The Man Who Came to Take; Orly: Tree of the Wooden Clogs 5.30, 8.45; Space Firebird 11; Paris: Noa at Seventeen 10, 12, 2, 4, 7.15, 9.30; Peer: L'amour En Question; Shakuff: Arthur 4.30, 7, 9.30; Remi 11 a.m.; Studio: French Lieutenant's Woman 4.30, 7, 9.30; Tchelet: The Bronte Sisters; Tel Aviv: Condorman; Tel Aviv Museum: A Thousand Little Kisses; Zafon: Repeat Dive; Limor: Rollover 4.30, 7, 9.30; Tue., Wed. Muppet Movie 11 a.m.; Tamar: Picasso's Adventure 7.15, 9.30; Spiderman 11 a.m.; Tue. 9.30; Thur. 11.45; Savage Messiah; Tue. 11, 4; Wed. 11; Thur. 4: Spiderman

HAIFA 4, 6.45, 9
Amphitheatre: Who Finds a Friend Finds a Treasure; Armon: Atlantic City, U.S.A.; Atzmon: Repeat Dive; Chen: Condorman; Galor: Free Grass 10, 2, 6; Devils Three 12, 4, 8; Keren Ort: Rollover 4, 7, 9; Moriah: Arthur 6.45, 9; Orah: On Golden Pond; Orion: Revenge of the Red Tiger 6 nonstop; Peer: French Lieutenant's Woman; Ron: The Man Who Came to Take; Shavit: Altered States 6.45, 9; Orly: Peter Pan Tue. 11, 3.30; Wed. 6, 8; Thur. 11, 4, 6, 8; Haifa Cinemathaque: Wed. Castle Keep 7; Destiny of a Man 9.30; Thur. Yoyo 8.30; Where Eagles Dare midnight

RAMAT GAN
Arnon: Peter Pan 4, 6.30, 8.30 (Sun., Mon. also 11 a.m.); Lily: Man of Marble 7.15, 9.30; Water Babies 11, 4; Oasis: Gone With the Wind 4, 8 (also Sun., Mon., Tue. also 11 a.m.); Orion: The Man Who Came to Take 4, 7.15, 9.30; Ramat: Snooker 7.15, 9.30; Ramat Gan: Who Finds a Friend Finds a Treasure 7.15, 9.30

NETANYA
Esther: Escape to Victory 7, 9.15

HERZLIYA
David: Noa at Seventeen 7, 9.15; Tiferet: Happening in the Market 7.15, 9.15

RAMAT HASHARON
Star: Fort Apache the Bronx 7.15; A Change of Seasons 9.30; Wed. Sleeping Beauty 4; Tue., Wed. 11 a.m., Thur. 4; Saturday Night Fever

HOD HASHARON
Barak: The King and I, 11.30 a.m.; Fiddler on the Roof 7; The Boys from Brazil 9.15

Jittery public plays havoc with stock market prices

By JOSEPH MORGENSTERN
Post Finance Reporter

TEL AVIV. — A week ago today, during the last session before the Pessah holiday, a rousing market rally was in progress. It seemed as if the public was in a major rush to divest itself of all cash reserves and put them into shares.

In the middle of the session, however, word spread on the floor of the exchange about the seriousness of the situation on the Lebanese border. Brokers and bank representatives quickly reversed their pattern of buying to one of selling. Those who were sufficiently nimble and managed to sell, took to the sidelines. Throughout the holiday, anxious investors were watching political developments.

By Sunday morning of this week the bubble burst. Investors and speculators alike decided that it was no time to hold on to their investments, and sell orders inundated banks and brokers. In the near panic conditions which ensued, no one was prepared to listen to investment advisers who counselled caution and recommended a "do nothing" attitude.

It was small wonder then, that on Sunday 191 securities suffered losses of 5 per cent or more. However, the Israeli "patented" trading device called "sellers only" whereby no trading is allowed when there is an imbalance between sell and buy orders, prevented losses becoming considerably bigger than they would have been otherwise. Of the 181 shares which fell , 95 were down by 5 per cent only. They were not traded and as a result of being declared "sellers only," their loss was only a paper loss and not a real one.

Yesterday's market performance reflected the action of professional traders, who were convinced that the general public had overreacted. They came in with enough buying orders to create a sharp reversal of Sunday's debacle. Prices moved up smartly and again proved that the local share market continues to have, in the words of one observer, "investment and speculative sex appeal." According to him it also proved the well-known adage that in a panic "you sit still and do nothing."

Industrial production rose 6% last year

Post Economic Reporter

The country's industrial production last year rose by 6 per cent in real terms, following a drop of 3 per cent in 1980.

According to preliminary figures released yesterday by the Central Bureau of Statistics, the sectors with the highest increases were wood products (11 per cent), clothing (10 per cent) and mechanical and electrical equipment (8 per cent).

Employment in industry rose by 7,000, about 2.5 per cent of the sector's total labour force. Productivity per day increased by 4.5 per cent.

During the year the daily wage of industrial workers rose by 146 per cent, compared to an increase of only 117 per cent in the Consumer Price Index.

Getting people to work the late shifts

Post Economic Reporter

Finance Minister Yoram Aridor yesterday asked the Knesset Finance Committee to extend for six months the tax reductions on wages for evening and night shifts in industry.

The current regulations date from July, 1981 and expired at the beginning of this month. With their extension they will now apply to incomes up to IS20,000 a month.

The minister's measure is intended to allow the State Revenue Administration to complete its survey of whether this exemption induces more workers to work these late shifts.

FOILED. — A 70-year-old Tel Aviv jeweller, Yehoshua Horowitz, yesterday threw a chair at a youth who had entered his shop, covered his face with a stocking and demanded that he hand over jewels. The youth ran away.

Shares in snappy turnabout

By JOSEPH MORGENSTERN

TEL AVIV. — The Government assurances that "no decision has been taken on an incursion into Lebanon" was enough to calm investors yesterday. As a result, the share market made a 180 degree turnabout and prices moved ahead smartly. While not all of Sunday's losses were recouped, it certainly seems that market sentiment is sufficiently positive to support further gains when the exchange reopens on Thursday after the holiday recess.

A full 13 issues were registered as "buyers only" and their prices upped automatically by 5%. Another 55 securities zipped ahead by margins of 5% or better.

Turnovers at a very low IS278m. reflected a minimal participation in trading by the public.

The index-linked bond market continued to advance although gains were relatively modest.

The shekel was devalued by 14 agorot against the dollar.

Commercial bank shares continued to edge up by small margins.

Insurance stocks moved ahead nicely and were led by Sahar (B), which came through with a 15% advance.

Land development and real estate issues were on the upside. The Caesarea shares, which have been strong gainers of late, traded unchanged. However, the two Caesarea options surged ahead by more than 20% each.

Industrials were in good form. Argaman (B) was up by 9%, while Teva (B) was a 10% winner. Lodzia 0.1 joined the 10% winners group.

Investment shares showed the smallest rate of advance. Several issues were sharply lower. Wolfson 0.1 was down by 10%. Export (R) was set back by 15%. Others in the group, however, came through with positive performances.

Oil shares were up by 5% or better.

Tel Aviv Stock Exchange

	Closing price	Volume IS1,000	Change	Change in %
Commercial Banks & Bankholding				
IDB prf	21600	.7	+250	+1.2
IDB r	1844	658.7	+2	+.1
IDB B r	1844	1.6	+2	+.1
IDB prf A	5640	2.7	+50	+.9
IDB op 6	4395	2.3	n.c.	—
IDB op 7	4570	4.5	+10	.2
IDB op 9	2305	3.4	—5	—.2
IDB op 10	2535	60.4	+20	+.8
Union r	*dx1240*	*154.1*	*+5*	*+.4*
Union no div	—	—	—	—
Union op 3 r	4440	—	—	—
Union op 4 r	2160	4.2	+40	+1.9
Union op 6	3480	.3	n.c.	—
Union op 7	1697	399.5	+40	+2.4
Union sc5 r	1245	1.0	+20	+1.6
Discount r	2351	18.4	+2	+.1
Discount A r	2351	4.4	+2	+.1
Discount op 1	2950	24.4	+19	+.6
Discount A sc r	2257	—	+3	+.1
Discount B	136.0	804.2	+2.0	+1.5
Mizrahi r	1590	884.5	+8	+.5
Mizrahi b	1590	20.2	+8	+.5
Mizrahi op 2 r	13130	—	+60	+.5
Mizrahi op 3	5330	1.8	+25	+.5
Mizrahi op 8	2617	114.0	n.c.	—
Mizrahi op 10	1200	20.8	n.c.	—
Mizrahi sc 4 r	3900	—	+15	+.4
Mizrahi sc 5 r	3310	.3	+13	+.4
Mizrahi sc 6 r	2690	2.0	+20	+.7
Mizrahi sc 7 r	2288	.8	+8	+.4
Mizrahi sc 9	133.0	531.0	n.c.	—
Maritime 0.1 r	1482	1,024.0	+10	+.7
Maritime 0.5 r	1538	349.3	+38	+2.5
Maritime op 1	1753	189.7	n.c.	—
Hapoalim prf b	3810	2.0	+9	+.2
Hapoalim r	3060	399.9	+7	+.2
Hapoalim 50% div	3055	18.7	+7	+.2
Hapoalim b	3060	67.1	+7	+.2
Hapoalim op 4 r	10700	.2	+19	+.2
Hapoalim op 5 r	9000	1.5	*+160*	*+1.8*
Hapoalim op 7 r	5115	6.8	—20	—.4
Hapoalim op. 11	2350	23.8	n.c.	—
Hapoalim op. 12	2085	37.5	—15	—.7
Hapoalim sc 6 r	3382	1.1	n.c.	—
Hapoalim sc 8 r	2325	1.5	n.c.	—
General A	2331	161.6	—40	—1.7
General op 6	4375	1.7	+25	+.6
General sc 4 r	2875	26.5	n.c.	—
General sc 5 r	666	9.8	n.c.	—
Leumi	2260	496.6	+4	+.2
Leumi no div 81	2255	2.5	+4	+.2
Leumi op 2 r	—	—	—	—
Leumi op 4 r	4250	4.0	+10	+.2
Leumi op 12	1395	35.0	n.c.	—
Leumi sc 8 r	2295	10.0	+15	+.7
Leumi sc 9 r	545	27.7	n.c.	—
Leumi sc 11	153.0	360.9	n.c.	—
OHH r	2585	1.7	n.c.	—
OHH b	2650	.2	+35	+1.3
Danot 1.0	414	16.1	+10	+2.5
Danot 5.0	278	434.6	n.c.	—
Danot op 1	225	512.9	+15	+7.1
Danot op 2	118.0	211.5	+7.5	+6.8
FIBI sc 1 r	3595	9.4	n.c.	—
FBI r	863	739.9	+7	+.8
Mortgage Banks				
Gen Mtge r	1070	35.8	n.c.	—
Gen Mtge b	1070	18.0	n.c.	—
Gen Mtge op 117	1610	2.0	+100	+6.6
Gen Mtge op 129	1600	.1	n.c.	—
Gen Mtge db 118	818	—	—	—
Carmel r	719	39.1	—	—
Carmel b	1000	.3	—93	—9.3
Carmel op A	1110	—	—40	—3.5
Carmel op B	600	10.0	—52	—8.0
Binyan r	694	6.2	n.c.	—
Dev & Mtge r	430	43.2	n.c.	—
Dev & Mtge b	430	3.0	n.c.	—
Dev & Mtge op 95	858	—	—	—
Mishkan r	2096	10.0	+15	+.7
Mishkan b	2063	20.0	n.c.	—
Independence	1800	3.0	n.c.	—
Tefahot prf r	2800	8.0	+100	+3.7
Tefahot prf b	2775	.3	+100	+3.7
Tefahot r	1940	11.4	n.c.	—
Tefahot b	2190	—	—	—
Tefahot op A	1500	20.0	+100	+7.1
Tefahot deb 1	114.5	367.4	+3.0	+2.7
Merav r	331	45.8	+1	+.3
Merav op	2700	—	—	—
Merav op 2	1700	—	—	—
Financing Institutions				
Shilton r	148.5	b.o.1	+7.0	+4.9
Shilton b	336	b.o.1	+16	+5.0
Shilton op B	451	b.o.1	+24	+5.6
Shilton op 5	134.0	b.o.1	+9.0	+7.2
Shilton op 8	129.0	278.7	*+14.0*	*+12.2*
Shilton sc 1	197.0	15.5	+18.0	+10.1
Shilton sc 2	195.0	24.4	+4.0	+2.1
Otz. Lataasiya r	920	116.6	+25	+2.8
Otz. Lataasiya b	925	100.0	+23	+2.8
Otz. Lataasiya op 1	—	—	—	—
Agriculture prf A	2800	1.0	+70	+2.6
Ind Dev prf r	d2380	2.6	+33	+1.4
Clal lease 0.1 r	350	14.2	n.c.	—
Clal Lease 0.5 r	298	116.8	n.c.	—
Clal Lease op A	450	5.0	+7	+1.6
Clal Lease op B	218	170.8	+29	+15.3
Clal Lease sc 1	128.0	173.3	n.c.	—
Insurance				
Aryeh r	965	530.0	+80	+9.0
Aryeh op r	17000	.5	n.c.	—
Aryeh sc 1	708	5.0	+8	+1.1
Ararat 0.1 r	1140	36.4	n.c.	—
Ararat 0.5 r	441	70.6	+1	+.2
Reinsurance 0.1 r	1600	12.4	—58	—3.5
Reinsurance 0.5 r	701	35.6	—4	—.6
Hadar 1.0	1230	69.8	+57	+4.9
Hadar 5.0	634	193.4	n.c.	—
Hassneh r	1600	305.5	n.c.	—
Hassneh b	1600	25.0	n.c.	—
Hassneh op	2710	2.2	+50	+1.9
Phoenix 0.1 r	1285	19.5	+2	+.2
Phoenix 0.5 r	1350	2.3	+96	+7.7
Yardenia 0.1 r	980	22.5	+23	+2.4
Yardenia 0.5 r	478	102.3	+38	+8.6
Yardenia op 1	340	b.o.	+22	+6.9
Sahar r	4680	37.5	n.c.	—
Sahar b	6787	11.0	+885	+15.0
Securitas r	789	98.3	—5	—.6
Securitas op 2	1100	12.0	—7	—.6
Zur r	1450	56.7	n.c.	—
Zur b	1520	3.1	—45	—2.4
Zur op 1	1313	30.8	n.c.	—
Zion Hold. 1.0	499	317.7	+15	+3.1
Zion Hold. 5.0	247	770.0	+11	+4.7
Commercial Services & Utilities				
Delek r	1010	75.7	+45	+4.7
Delek b	1303	.4	n.c.	—
Delek db 2	5350	—	—300	*—5.3*
Harel	251	409.7	+14	+5.9
Harel op 1	368	246.0	+45	+15.0
Cold Store 0.1 r	29300	.2	—600	*—2.0*
Cold Store 1.0 r	10735	11.5	n.c.	—
Isr Electric r	8000	3.7	—32	—.4
Lighterage 0.1	—	—	—	—
Lighterage 0.5 r	7187	22.0	+653	+10.0
Lighterage op 2	24402	.1	n.c.	—
Lighterage db 1	7260	3.1	n.c.	—
Magor	849	118.6	+4	+.5
Consort. Hold.	1141	36.7	+15	+1.3
Consort op	1029	13.6	+8	+.8
Rapac 0.1 r	850	8.7	+31	+3.8
Rapac 0.5 r	500	35.2	+14	+2.9
Rapac op 2	310	221.2	+49	+18.8
Supersol A	1730	3.0	+15	+.8
Supersol B	1130	19.9	—15	—1.3
Land Development Building, Citrus				
Oren	399	395.2	+12	+3.1
Oren op 1	365	108.0	+24	+7.0
Azorim r	496	281.5	n.c.	—
Azorim op C	786	81.6	+60	+8.3
Azorim op D	371	111.3	+15	+4.2
Azorim db 1	939	1.7	+85	+10.0
Africa Isr 0.1 r	4800	5.0	+100	+2.1
Africa Isr 1.0 r	3505	2.3	+5	+.1
Africa op 2	3550	2.1	n.c.	—
Arledan 0.1	400	574.8	+10	+2.6
Arledan 0.5	206	171.6	+6	+3.0
Arledan op A	241	126.0	+30	+14.2
Darad	650	168.8	—18	—2.7
Darad op 1	1092	10.0	n.c.	—
ILDC r	1242	43.3	n.c.	—
ILDC b	1276	3.9	+25	+2.0
ILDC op A r	8800	.6	—400	—4.4
ILDC op B r	3770	1.7	n.c.	—
ILDC op 6	827	24.3	+25	+3.1
ILDC db 4 r	2570	—	—	—
HLB Realty 0.1 r	384	101.1	+26	+7.9
HLB Realty 0.5 r	243	270.3	+5	+2.1
HLB Realty op	—	—	—	—
Solel Boneh prf A	42350	4.8	+450	+1.1
Modul Beton	800	42.1	+47	+6.2
Modul Beton op 1	1720	26.0	n.c.	—
Prop & Bldg r	1200	101.0	+20	+1.7
Prop & Bldg C	1360	—	+20	+1.5
Prop & Bldg db 5	2650	—	—	—
Bayside 0.1 r	2275	8.9	+80	+3.6
Bayside 0.5 r	1495	12.5	n.c.	—
Ispro r	455	168.4	n.c.	—
Ispro op 3	486	211.3	+31	+6.8
Isras r	305	282.6	n.c.	—
Isras op 1	191.0	141.0	+11.0	+6.1
Cohen Dev.	230	380.1	+13	+6.0
Cohen Dev. op 1	199.0	193.8	+10.0	+5.3
Mehadrin r	4500	1.3	n.c.	—
ICP r	4000	2.0	+135	+3.5
Neot Aviv	2373	b.o.	+113	+5.0
Pri Or r	6200	.6	n.c.	—
Caesarea 0.1	699	34.4	n.c.	—
Caesarea 0.5	379	59.6	n.c.	—
Caesarea op 2	357	252.4	+70	+24.4
Caesarea op 3	211	380.1	+38	+22.0
Rassco prf r	8930	16.5	n.c.	—
Rassco r	8854	11.8	n.c.	—
Industrials				
Urdan 0.1 r	715	55.9	+32	+4.7
Urdan 0.5 r	702	74.9	+62	+9.7
Urdan op 2 r	760	14.4	+70	+10.1
Elbit 3.0 r	4280	54.4	+230	+5.7
Alliance r	—	—	—	—
Alaska Sport 1.0	720	109.09	+30	+4.3
Alaska Sport 5.0	481	158.6	n.c.	—
Alaska Sport op 1	350	87.8	+34	+10.8
Elco 0.1	1800	1.8	n.c.	—
Elco 0.25 r	587	170.5	n.c.	—
Elco 0.25 b	898	27.0	—46	—4.9
Elco op B	529	46.2	—10	—1.9
Elco db 1	976	5.7	+81	+7.7
Electra 0.1 r	1148	33.5	+80	+7.5
Electra 0.5 r	550	98.6	+30	+5.8
Electra op 3	438	63.0	+32	+7.9
Electra db 2	1425	.3	n.c.	—
Elron 3	6520	20.7	+240	+3.8
Argaman prf r	1208	b.o.1	+58	+5.0
Argaman prf b	1349	b.o.1	+74	+5.0
Argaman r	1180	40.9	+58	+5.2
Argaman b	1218	38.6	+100	+8.9
Ata B 1.0	1173	6.0	n.c.	—
Ata C 0.1	724	243.1	n.c.	—
Tadir Beton 1.0	460	94.0	n.c.	—
Tadir Beton 5.0	332	65.4	—10	—2.9
Tadir Beton op 1	450	108.2	+32	+7.7
Dubek prf r	2660	65.7	n.c.	—
Dubek prf b	2740	29.1	n.c.	—
Fertilizers r 0.1	1063	142.9	+79	+8.0
Fertilizers 0.5	525	b.o.1	+25	+5.0
Cables r	2230	11.7	—130	—5.5
Cables b	2230	22.6	—135	—5.7
Hatchof 1.0	1214	81.7	+98	+8.8
Hatchof 5.0	1269	97.8	+25	+2.0
Hatchof op 2	2287	30.0	n.c.	—
Haifa Chem r	850	63.4	+23	+2.8
Teva r	1700	32.6	—10	—.6
Teva b	1832	22.9	+167	+10.0
Teva op	16630	.1	n.c.	—
Teva op 2	2768	5.9	+228	+9.0
Teva db 3	280	208.9	+18	+8.9
Tempo 1.0	797	127.9	n.c.	—
Tempo 5.0	304	69.3	n.c.	—
Tempo op 1	575	110.1	+69	+13.6
Tempo op 2	201	41.8	+5	+2.6
Tromasbest 1.0	949	189.3	n.c.	—
Tromasbest 5.0	610	45.3	n.c.	—
Tromasbest op 1	380	33.6	+16	+4.4
Yomar 1.0	820	2.8	+10	+1.2
Yomar 5.0	560	16.4	—10	—1.5
Zion Cables 1.0	1195	15.5	+95	+8.6
Zion Cables 5.0	627	94.2	n.c.	—
Zion Cables op 1	945	31.4	+103	+12.2
Clal Ind. Electr.	1116	231.2	n.c.	—
Lodzia 0.1 r	1672	15.7	+152	+10.0
Lodzia 0.4 r	482	111.8	+5	+1.0
Wolfman 1.0	625	108.3	—2	—.3
Wolfman 5.0	373	80.0	—2	—.5
Molett B r	4040	13.6	+185	+4.8
Galil Ind 1.0	1375	240.6	+66	+5.0
Galil Ind 3.0	997	—	+47	+4.9
Galil Ind op 1	—	—	—	—
Man 1.0	1757	b.o.1	+83	+5.0
Man 5.0	632	70.4	+16	+2.6
Dead Sea r	1700	17.3	+100	+6.3
AIPM r	1260	42.6	+60	+5.0
Maquette 0.1	917	38.3	n.c.	—
Maquette 0.5	320	91.7	n.c.	—
Maquette op A	372	94.0	+37	+11.0
Assis	3700	34.6	—119	—3.1
Assis db 1	5900	.1	—300	—4.8
Petrochem r	196.0	683.6	+12.0	+6.5
Nechushtan b	588	319.0	n.c.	—
Sano 1	483	2478.8	*—10*	*—2.0*
Sano 5	358	221.1	+18	+5.3
Elite r	2325	60.2	+40	+1.8
Arad r	1379	12.0	+125	+10.0
Polgat 0.1 r	6250	1.6	—150	—2.3
Polgat 0.4 r	2555	2.3	n.c.	—
Polygon r	1000	82.9	+44	+4.8
Pecker Steel	435	42.2	+36	+9.0
Pecker Steel op A	502	32.1	+22	+4.6
Kalil 1.0	395	63.8	n.c.	—
Kalil 5.0	320	85.6	+28	+9.6
Rim 0.1 r	368	132.3	—15	—4.0
Rim 0.4 r	300	86.9	—7	—2.3
Schoellerina	d1170	60.2	+20	+1.7
Schoellerina op A	1329	6.7	n.c.	—
Shemen prf r	4051	2.6	—179	—4.2
T.A.T. 1.0	518	153.7	n.c.	—
T.A.T. 5.0	335	66.4	n.c.	—
T.A.T. op 1	240	63.5	+18	+8.1
Taya	658	71.4	—56	—7.5
Taya op 1	494	28.1	n.c.	—
Taal B r	1282	96.9	n.c.	—
Taal B b	1691	15.3	n.c.	—
Frutarom r	1000	s.o.2	—52	—4.9
Taro Pharm.	570	56.3	n.c.	—
Investment & Holding Companies				
Unico r	617	45.2	n.c.	—
Unico b	706	3.1	+24	+3.5
IDB devel. r	1465	852.5	+2	+.1
IDB devel. op 1	1180	35.1	*+10*	*+.8*
Elgar r	3757	1.5	n.c.	—
Elgar b	3600	.4	n.c.	—
Ellern r	2800	32.9	+40	+1.6
Ellern b	2631	28.6	+31	+1.2
Amissar pref	2803	23.9	+120	+4.5
Amissar opt	3301	b.o.	+221	+7.2
Afik 1.0	761	99.4	n.c.	—
Afik 5.0	401	54.4	+6	+1.5
Central Trade	1580	67.2	+10	+.6
Inv Paz r	1891	8.1	n.c.	—
Inv Paz b	1910	8.8	n.c.	—
Wolfson 0.1	9557	.5	—1062	—10.0
Wolfson 1.0 r	4130	13.0	—90	—2.1
Wolfson 1.0 b	4280	7.3	n.c.	—
Ampa r	2745	23.3	n.c.	—
Disc Inv r	985	297.9	n.c.	—
Disc Inv b	990	3.1	—10	—1.0
Disc Inv opt C	2345	—	+5	+.2
Disc Inv opt D	1450	3.5	+10	+.7
Discount op. E	540	21.6	+2	+.4
Disc Inv deb 135	1210	—	—	—
Hapoalim Inv r	2350	9.0	+20	+.9
Hapoalim Inv b	2350	—	+20	+.9
Leumi Inv	985	75.3	—5	—.5
Jordan Explo A r	9830	11.8	—80	—.6
Jordan Explo opt	38929	.2	n.c.	—
Jordan Explo opt 2	17229	1.2	n.c.	—
Mizrahi Inv r	5050	.2	+20	+.4
Mizrahi Inv b	5050	2.3	n.c.	—
Mizrahi Inv deb 122	138.5	95.5	+4.0	+3.0
Mizrahi deb 124	170.0	8.5	+2.0	+1.2
Clal Trade	475	64.6	n.c.	—
Clal Trade op B	790	15.1	+20	+2.6
Clal Trade deb 1	900	1.0	n.c.	—
Export Inv r	9491	4.5	—1700	—15.2
Export Inv b	9178	2.3	—1020	—10.0
Koor prf	40700	.4	*+700*	*+1.8*
Clal Re r	570	305.7	+40	+7.5
Clal Re opt C	523	58.7	+30	+6.0
Clal Israel	805	45.1	n.c.	—
Clal Inds	526	390.1	n.c.	—
Clal Inds opt A	2270	11.1	—14	—.6
Clal Inds opt B	1009	105.5	n.c.	—
Clal Inds deb 5	2426	3.3	+221	+10.0
Landeco 0.1	830	148.7	+30	+4.8
Landeco 0.5	475	187.6	n.c.	—
Sahar Hold 1.0	549	179.3	n.c.	—
Sahar Hold 5.0	494	169.0	+33	+7.2
Sahar Hold opt 1	275	142.9	n.c.	—
Oz Inv B 0.1	1013	61.4	—60	—5.6
Oz Inv B 0.5	401	34.3	—6	—1.5
Oz Inv op 1	800	26.5	—2	—.2
Oz Inv op 2	294	51.5	n.c.	—
Paima	892	b.o.	+42	+4.9
Pama 0.5	540	24.1	n.c.	—
Piryon	782	778.6	+22	+2.9
Fuel & Exploration				
Oil Explo Paz	368	144.6	+18	+5.1
Oil Explo op. 2	212	35.1	+6	+2.9
Fedoil r	780	23.4	+39	+5.3
Naphta r	6825	b.o.1	+325	+5.0
Lapidot r	—	—	—	—
Lapidot b	—	—	—	—
New Listings				
Nechushtan 0.5	408	422.8	n.c.	—
Nechushtan op	304	179.4	n.c.	—
Incoba	500	243.1	+19	+4.0
M.T.M. I	532	459.6	+32	+6.4
M.T.M. 5	378	386.8	+28	+8.0

Abbreviations:

s.o.	sellers only	n.c.	no change
b.o.	buyers only	r	registered
d	without dividend	b	bearer
c	without coupon	pref.	preferred

These stock prices are unofficial.

Most active stocks

Maritime 0.1	1[illegible]	1694.0	+16
Mizrahi R	1590	884.5	+8
IDB	1844	658.7	+2

Shares traded: IS 271.6m.
Convertibles: IS 6.1m.
Bonds: IS 131.7m.

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Danish KR	2.4064	2.3828
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Australian $	20.7960	20.5932
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What now?

IT IS A STRANGE, and exceedingly dangerous, game the government is playing with the country.

On the one hand the people of Israel were being assured that there was no crisis in relations with Egypt, that Prime Minister Begin remained committed to the peace, and that the final withdrawal from Sinai would take place as scheduled on April 26. On the other hand suggestions are now suddenly being offered that the pullout will be halted unless Egypt sets right a series of dire violations of the peace treaty and the framework agreement.

An explicit threat to that effect was made by Deputy Premier David Levy at a rally of Herut Youth yesterday, and he was aided and abetted in the same spirit by Defence Minister Ariel Sharon and Foreign Minister Yitzhak Shamir.

But what sudden, and massive, violations are these by Egypt that might imperil the peace less than a fortnight before the Sinai deadline?

For reasons best known to itself, the government has been rather stingy with information. Presumably, the complaints have by now been communicated to Washington, and to Cairo. They have, in fact, also been broadcast by such foreign news media as Britain's BBC and America's NBC. But the people of this country were not entitled to be informed after Sunday's cabinet meeting. They had themselves to rely in large measure on those foreign sources, because military censorship was used to muzzle the Israeli press.

The fact that the government had placed an explosive device under the peace treaty, and that the cabinet was not unanimous in applauding it, was to be kept a secret from the people who were most directly affected by this fresh development. At least for as long as the government saw fit. Which apparently was one day. For yesterday at the Herut rally, the Herut ministers sought to back up their claims against the withdrawal.

Topping the oddly assorted list of complaints are Egyptian infringements of the military annex to the treaty, notably in allowing the smuggling of arms and ammunition to the Gaza Strip. This is followed by what is described as Egypt's proposal at last week's non-aligned conference in Kuwait for a simultaneous exchange of recognition between Israel and the PLO; President Mubarak's refusal to come to Jerusalem; the growing ties between Egypt and the PLO, and the unresolved dispute over the demarcation of the Sinai border.

To each and every one of these disparate complaints there is undoubtedly something. But surely not enough to warrant the present alarm.

Thus Israel is known to have alerted Egypt before to some military violations over a period of time, but the more serious among these have been corrected, and the remaining ones are, in the view of independent observers, technical infractions that would not, normally, be worth any fuss.

Characteristically, too, there was no hue-and-cry from Jerusalem when Egypt called, before Kuwait, for acceptance of the Palestinians' right to self-determination, even though the Camp David accords eschew any mention of that right. True, Ambassador Ismet Abdel-Meguid may have strayed beyond the Camp David framework by proposing that Israel and the Palestinians *(not* the PLO) recognize one another — without even a reference to the autonomy scheme. But Israel has surely done nothing less.

The Israel Ambassador to Washington has publicly advocated annexing the West Bank, and the government, in its policy guidelines, has pledged itself to an interpretation of the autonomy that would lead inevitably to the assertion of Israel's sovereignty over the territories.

Ambassador Abdel-Meguid's proposals at Kuwait may be deplored. But to decry them as "hostile propaganda," barred by the peace treaty, as Mr. Begin did yesterday, is far fetched.

The other complaints are even harder to understand. President Mubarak's refusal to come to Jerusalem, regrettable as it is, is true to a pattern set after President Sadat's original journey in 1977; Egypt's ties with the PLO have never been ruptured, not even during the worst period of tension following the Sadat visit; and the demarcation dispute is due to be solved, if not in bilateral talks, then through mediation or arbitration, as laid down in the peace treaty.

Yet these are the supposedly sudden, and massive violations that are said to warrant Mr. Shamir's designation of Egypt's version of its peace with Israel as "fraudulent." From these complaints a hysteria — for once a usable word — is being whipped up which, as Herut Youth were quick to grasp, would justify a petition to put off the pullout from Sinai.

Whatever it is that Premier Begin and Herut have in mind, it is an exceedingly dangerous game they are playing.

POSTSCRIPTS

P.S. THE YOUNG rabbi in charge of absorption centres in the Jerusalem area recently had an opportunity to provide an immigrant with another kind of assistance beyond spiritual help. Rabbi Naftali Lewin, himself a former immigrant from the U.S., was near his office in the Gilo Absorption Centre when he heard shouts. A 73-year-old Russian oleh named Pessah R. was apparently having a stroke and had difficulty breathing. Rabbi Lewin administered mouth-to-mouth resuscitation and heart massage for 10 minutes, and by the time the Magen David Adom ambulance arrived, the old man was breathing without assistance. The rabbi had learned the technique in another emergency, when his late mother was ill, and since then read up on the subject of first aid. *J.S.*

P.S. TWO GANGSTERS who escaped from the law courts building in Toulouse, France, after disarming and handcuffing police guards and a judge, later informed the hapless law officers where to recover their guns and handcuffs, police reported recently. They said that Francis Trinquier and Christobal Ramos, the fugitive gangsters, both telephoned and wrote to the policemen and judge they had deposited the stolen guns and handcuffs in locker no. 263 at the local Matbiau railroad station.

The two were being questioned for their role in a bank attack March 23 when they succeeded in stealing the two policemen's 7.65mm. pistols. They handcuffed the guards and the judge and locked them up in the judge's room before escaping aboard a motorbike.

UNCIVIL DISOBEDIENCE

Israelis have a moral right to disobey their government on issues of high principle, but they also have a moral obligation to accept the consequences of their actions, writes SAM LEHMAN-WILZIG.

BY NOW Israelis have become inured to most forms of public protest, but it was not always so. While the United States and Western Europe erupted in mass demonstrations during the 1960s, Israel passed the decade in relative quiescence. Indeed, Israelis found it difficult to understand how thousands of American youth could not only protest against their own government's Vietnam war policies, but even "worse," would indulge in outright draft evasion and civil disobedience. As far as the first post-State sabra generation was concerned, governmental orders were to be obeyed. Any private doubts were left for salon debate.

The situation changed noticeably in the 1970s. Starting with Israel's Black Panther riots in 1971, and spurred on by a tidal wave of *ad hoc* and formal pressure groups, public protest rose dramatically during the latter decade. The phenomenon embraced all sectors of society — from young couples seeking adequate housing to war-bereaved parents demanding an accounting for their slain sons. But the sheer number of protest events masked a more profoundly significant development: the first indications that certain groups were willing to break the law while highlighting their grievances. In short, systematic civil disobedience (as opposed to legal protest) had arrived in Israel.

To be sure, there were always fringe groups ready to do battle for their "higher" cause; the Natorei Karta come readily to mind. But these never considered themselves citizens of the State of Israel. Gush Emunim however, fervent supporters of the State, are a different matter. In a concerted campaign to force the government's hand on settling the administered territories, these hyper-idealists consistently broke the law of the land in their "settlement" activities. The short-term reaction by the Labour Government was overnight lockup in selected cases. The long-term response, though, was governmental acquiescence. Officially sanctioned settlements sprang up like mushrooms after the morning rain. The precedent had been set: civil disobedience works — and it's painless.

The chickens are now coming home to roost. The recent events in Yamit and environs are merely a fuller expression of this tendency which began several years earlier. The question that must begin to be asked — even before Yamit's sad denouement — is what lessons are to be learned from the whole affair. Can anything positive be extracted from the protest, civil disobedience, and violence which marked the withdrawal from Yamit?

THE QUESTION has two sides to it; they are the obverse and reverse of the same coin. On the one hand, there is the question of civil disobedience itself; on the other, the authorities' response to such behaviour.

Socrates was perhaps the first individual to justify *in principle* civil disobedience. He understood that the political process is but a means to a more important goal — for him, "truth." Of course philosophic truth need not be the only end possible. Other nations have claimed justice, equality, and/or liberty as their ultimate values. Most societies in the history of the world have included the religious dimension in the "Ideal" list. But regardless of the specific value, what is most important about the Socratic message is that there exists a natural law above the positive law of the State. Indeed, for a country founded after the consequences for European Jewry the "Deutschland uber alles" travesty, Israel should have understood this better than most.

In this respect, the Stop-the-Withdrawal diehards, along with their Gush Emunim predecessors and counterparts, have actually done Israeli democracy a service. No longer will Israelis in the future blindly follow or accept the dictates (however constitutional and democratic) of their elected representatives. A healthy dose of scepticism, of forcing the authorities morally to justify their policies, can only strengthen Israeli democracy in the long run. No country is devoid of injustice or wrongheaded policy; anything which can aid in their correction has a place within the system. Again, a nation whose politico-moral heritage is based upon the civically "disruptive" behaviour of the Prophets should be able to comprehend this truism.

But — and one cannot emphasize this qualification too strongly — *those who take it upon themselves to be the nation's "conscience" in ways which are not legally recognized must be ready to bear the full consequences of their behaviour.* Here too Socrates showed the way. Convicted and imprisoned, he refused to escape from jail the night before his execution, even though the jailhouse door was "open" so to speak.

HIS REASONING was philosophically subtle but critical in its import. He would not escape because his struggle was not about the legitimacy of the Athenian regime but rather a specific law or policy of that regime. The only way to show both continued support of the political system *and* his deep disagreement with its "output" was to accept that system's judicial verdict. In fact, one can take the point a step further — that same judicial process did him a favour by providing Socrates with a central public forum from which he could take his case to his fellow citizens. By confronting Athens' citizenry with the dilemma of disposing of him because of a matter of critical importance (at least to him), Socrates forced his countrymen to look into their hearts and decide whether they truly agreed with their government on the issue

By its handling of Israel's civil disobedients, our governments have shown that they understand none of this. Civilians who not only break the law in Yamit but attack soldiers are freed a day later if arrested at all. Settlers who moved into restricted areas in the territories during the 1970s were merely removed by the army, only to return time and time again without the moral confrontation in a court of law which would have forced Israeli society to ask itself the hard questions about settlement, Israel's land policy, and its relationship with the conquered Arabs. The consequences of failing to address these issues in their time can be seen plainly by all today.

THUS, THE civil disobedients should actually encourage such a judicio-political confrontation, for moral as well as tactical reasons. The government, for its part, would be doing the nation and its democratic system a service by dealing firmly with those who break the law (even, or perhaps especially, on a matter of conscience). Otherwise, it not only demeans the very important (if not always correct) message of those who morally oppose its policies but, even worse, it thereby undercuts the very foundations of its own legally-based system.

In the final analysis, not only do Israelis have a moral *right* to disobey their government on issues of high principle, but they also have a moral *obligation* to accept the legal consequences of their disobedience. Thus, it is clear that civil disobedience is not to be taken lightly (by either side), and that it entails hard decisions by both sides. But that's exactly why it can be a positive force.

It is about time, then, that Israelis on both sides of the governmental divide begin to take the phenomenon seriously. If not, civil disobedience in Israel will degenerate into social, political, and constitutional anarchy — not a luxury that a beleaguered state like ours can afford.

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Dry Bones



READERS' LETTERS

TV REPORTING

To the Editor of The Jerusalem Post

Sir, — A plea for an end to the row over the abandonment of family pets in the Sinai, a row which, I fear, I may have unwittingly helped start.

I'm a British TV correspondent, whose work is syndicated in South Africa, where Messrs. Blumberg and Shuman (Letters — March 29) may, I believe, have seen a report of mine on the Sinai.

The report in question did indeed show cats and dogs on an otherwise deserted beach at Neviot. But your two South African readers must have been watching and listening with their eyes and ears half-shut. I did not say the animals had been abandoned. What I did say was that Israel was having to abandon a thriving tourist industry, adding that "animals have already moved in where holiday-makers basked in the sun a month ago."

Exactly where these creatures had come from I do not know. It did not seem to me important. The brief, but admittedly vivid image was one of desolation taking over what Israelis had built.

Nor did I "highlight" the animals, as suggested (Letters — April 6) by Mr. Kool, who didn't see the programme anyway. The scene made up literally a handful of seconds in the middle of an account of what Israel is having to give up in the Sinai, viz. two fair-sized towns, 21 agricultural settlements, military installations including a naval base and two of the world's most advanced air bases, and control over the strategically vital Straits of Tiran.

Israelis, I know, are painfully aware of that list. People abroad are not. I was trying to tell them.

So the next time Israelis get angry at foreign reporting of their case, whatever the issue, I'd ask them to remember: in the dark, it's easy to grab hold of the wrong end of the stick. That goes for all of us.

DEREK TAYLOR

Tel Aviv.

THE EVIL OF OCCUPATION

To the Editor of The Jerusalem Post

Sir, — I was horrified to read that, once again, Israeli soldiers have wounded and killed Palestinians in the West Bank.

I am an engineering student who plans to make aliya this year. I believe that Zionism has to do with building up a Jewish state, one which is faithful to the values of Jewish tradition. And so I believe that Mr. Begin is anti-Zionist. His annexationist policies will destroy the ethnically Jewish character of the state, just as the idolatrous violence of the military occupation is undermining the very basis of Jewish peoplehood.

JEROME DAVIDSON

Los Angeles, California.

CULTS

To the Editor of The Jerusalem Post

Sir, — I refer to recent advertisements for the Emin society appearing in *The Post*. As the mother of a member of the society, I would like to warn other parents: Emin is a cult. It does an excellent job of brain-washing its members who pay IS1,200 a month to belong.

Don't be fooled, as I was, by the neat, well-dressed appearance of the members. The society is subversive. It is extremely successful at distancing its members from their families and anyone who is not a member of the society.

The meetings are held in English and it is not surprising that many of the members are the children of 'Anglo-Saxon' immigrants.

We hope that the recent publicity will help to arouse public indignation.

CONCERNED MOTHER
(Name and address supplied)

Sir, — We, the Concerned Parents against Cults in Israel, have received from our counterpart in England, FAIR (family, action, information and rescue), information and newspaper clippings stating that the Emin Society is considered a cult in England, its country of origin.

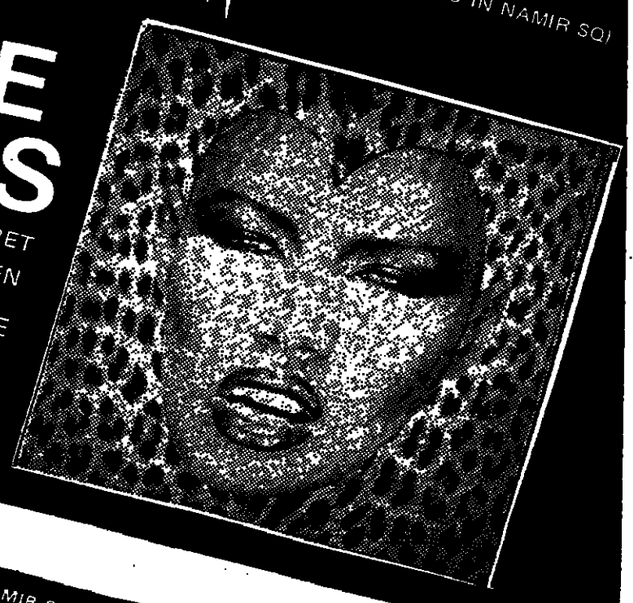
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